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FLYNN GOOD HEALTH CAMPAIGN IS ENDORSED BY LOCAL CLERGY

STRONG WORDS IN PRAISE OF WORK

Ministers Unqualifiedly Re-commend Earnest Co-operation of People in Great Movement

GET TICKETS AT CHURCH TOMORROW

Ministers Supplied With Free Admission Cards to the Opening Lectures Of Series

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"Allow me to congratulate you upon your happy choice in securing Prof. Flynn for the benefit of the La Crosse public. I have friends both in St. Paul and Minneapolis who speak very highly of Prof. Flynn and they declare that he has no rival in his profession. Being in Du-
buque for a few days when Prof. Flynn gave his lectures there some time ago, I heard nothing but praise and laudation for the professor. Knowing that he stands for health and happiness, and that in a most unique manner he points out the way to same, I most heartily and sincerely thank you, Mr. Editor, for procuring this man for the La Crosse community, and I hereby pledge my co-operation, and I would urge the La Crosse people to avail themselves of this rare opportunity."
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As the time approaches for the opening of The Tribune's Good Health Campaign, which will be opened in this city on Monday evening by Prof. W. Earl Flynn, the noted health evangelist, and as the people get better acquainted with the work Mr. Flynn has been doing in all of the principal cities of the country, interest increases until it is now certain the First Methodist church, Eighth and King streets, will be filled to overflowing for the opening lecture on "How to Get Well and Keep Well." It is important to a full understanding of the work of Prof. Flynn that those who are interested in enjoying good health or being rescued from sickness hear this first lecture, for it is an important one of the series, and explains the system in intricate detail which will be most helpful to an easy accomplishment of the task of revitalizing the body under Mr. Flynn's direction.



Prof. Flynn

Rev. J. L. Panzian, pastor of the First German Methodist church, is acquainted with the work of Prof. Flynn and fully approves. The Tribune's action in bringing the famous health evangelist to La Crosse in the foregoing strong communication, Mr. Panzian in various ways has acquainted himself with the work of Professor Flynn and does not hesitate to strongly recommend him to the La Crosse public.

Other La Crosse ministers are as earnest in their endorsement of Mr. Flynn and many who were not personally acquainted with his work wrote to ministers in cities where he has conducted good health campaigns for the purpose of gaining information in regard to his work. The result has been that the clergy of La Crosse is unanimous in its endorsement of the health specialist who opens his campaign here under the auspices of The Tribune at the First Methodist church next Monday evening with the first of a series of free lectures. Prof. Flynn appeared before the La Crosse Pastors' union a few weeks ago and explained his system to the ministers in a short address. He had to lead to them but a few minutes when conversions were evident and before the meeting was closed a resolution was passed unanimously endorsing Mr. Flynn and his campaign to be conducted in this city.

Nature's Science
Rev. Henry Faville, pastor of the First Congregational church, Seventh and Main streets, says this of Prof. Flynn:

"My endorsement of Prof. Flynn comes first because of his common sense address before the Pastors' union, some weeks since, in which he seemed to have a sane and scientific plan for using the body and mind in retaining health if well and in restoring health if sick; and second, because of a letter from a Congregational pastor in Davenport, Iowa, in which he said, 'I drop this line to assure you that while here Prof. Flynn has been clean, unselfish and in every way worthy, and I learned only good of him where he had been before.'"

Expects Great Things

Rev. A. Lincoln Shute, pastor of the First Methodist church, Eighth and King streets, where the Flynn lectures are to be given, was unacquainted with Prof. Flynn and his work, so made inquiry of friends in a city where the professor had worked. Rev. Shute joins in his endorsement of the campaign in the following terms:

"Knowing nothing whatever personally about Professor Flynn, I asked two of my ministerial brothers, one an old college chum, in Rockford, Ill., from which place Prof. Flynn has just come, what they thought of him. Their answers confirm what seems to be the universally favorable testimony. They say 'We think Flynn is all right. He is reliable and a great hit in Rockford.' This is from two of the most prominent pastors in that splendid city. And so I am looking for great things."

Recommends Co-operation

Rev. A. V. Ingram, pastor of the Calvary Street Methodist church, is strong in his praise of the work of Prof. Flynn. While not personally acquainted with Mr. Flynn, Rev. Ingram received most gratifying recommendations of him from Dr. Dick of Wesley Methodist church of Minneapolis. Rev. Ingram believes that

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CUSTOM FRAUDS SMELL TO HEAVEN

Gross Briberies of Federal Inspectors at New York Is Being Unearthed

BIG IMPORTERS ARE BRIBERS

Government Sleuths Dig Up a List of Collusion and Fraud Eclipsing Sugar Steal

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—The federal government's investigation into the New York customs frauds threatens disclosures more astounding than those recently unearthed in the false weighing of sugar, for the benefit of the sugar trust.

If the fears of the treasury department officials are realized, conspiracy will be unearthed of many years standing, involving not only customs inspectors, but several big importers, a transportation company and some men higher up in the New York customs office. The detectives who were at first employed on these cases have now been supplemented by secret service men and, working together, they have secured a strong lead on the following abuses:

Under-valuation of imports; collusion between the transportation line employees and inspectors; bribery of inspectors by importers; frauds in weighing; inspectors' graft on traveling public; acceptance by customs officials of entertainment and presents from importers.

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh said that he did not assume charge of the treasury department with the intention of installing any particular reforms, but conditions have demonstrated the necessity for them, especially in the metropolis.

He stated with emphasis today that he intends to go to the bottom. Disclose what it may, lead where it may and touch whom it may, there will be no abatement of the investigation until every abuse is wiped out and the guilty punished.

The secretary is inclined to believe that reports of powerful political influence being exerted in the New York customs house to prevent a thorough inquiry have been exaggerated.

"No one has spoken to me about this case," he remarked, "but that may be due to my having announced that there will be no use in the attempt being made to interfere with the work which I have ordered and which Collector Loeb is executing with marked ability."

A number of arrests of persons charged with false weighing and evasion of customs duties have been made, but it is hinted that action affecting more influential interests may be taken before long.

The government cannot understand how it is possible for the evasion of customs duties by the use of "sleeper trucks" to be accomplished unless there is collusion between responsible employees of the steamship lines and the inspectors. It is stated that this branch of the inquiry is receiving particular attention.

TEDDY'S AIM GONE

(By Staff Correspondent of the United Press.)

NAIROBI, British East Africa, May 22.—For the second successive day Colonel Theodore's heretofore deadly aim has failed him. Yesterday it was Kermit Roosevelt who killed a buffalo his father had wounded and today it was the shots of two others in the party that prevented a huge buffalo bull from getting away from Roosevelt after being slightly wounded.

ITO TO RESIGN

TOKIO, May 22.—Prince Ito is about to resign as Japanese resident general of Korea. He will be succeeded by Viscount Sone, assistant resident general.

SHAW SUES HIS WIFE AND NAMES FAMILY CHAUFFEUR



Mrs. James F. Shaw, now involved in sensation, and her son.

SALEM, Mass., May 22.—States Senator James F. Shaw, the millionaire-traction magnate, filed a suit for absolute divorce today against his wife, Nettie E. Shaw. He names H. Keno Marble, their former chauffeur, as co-respondent, and asks for custody of their boy, Eldridge Shaw.

This action by Senator Shaw is taken to forestall proceedings which are to be instituted by Mrs. Shaw, who has just returned from Los Angeles in company with her father, and who yesterday announced that she would sue Shaw for separate maintenance and a legal separation.

The troubles of the Shaws have been before the public for some time and a month ago detectives representing Shaw tried to secure possession of the boy from his mother who was then in Los Angeles selling tickets at a moving picture show conducted by Marble, who has since disappeared.

SEVENTH DISTRICT CAPTURES HONORS

Wins Field Meet at the Fair Grounds This Morning in Graded School Tournament

In the second annual field meet held between the grade schools of Crosse, the Seventh district carried off first honors, the Sixth district second, First district third, and Second district fourth. In every event several boys were entered and before the finals had been finished several excellent records had been made.

In the three hundred yard dash Klow of the Seventh district carried off the race with the remarkable time of 34.2-5 seconds. This is several seconds faster than the same race was run last year. In two other events Klow won first place, making him the champion of the meet, with a score of fifteen points. Wiles of the Second district was his nearest rival, having acquired nine points.

The meet was held under the auspices of the High School Athletic association, the purpose being to interest the younger boys in this branch of athletics.

The following is the result of the meet:
100 yard dash—Klow, Seventh district, first; Harris, Second district, second; Bedessen, First district, third. Time 11.1-5 seconds.
Pole vault—Wiles, Seventh district, first; Jahemack, second; Zeisler and Gardner, First district, tied.

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RECEPTION FOR SECRETARY GRAN

New Y. M. C. A. Head to Reach Here With His Wife and Family on Tuesday

OPEN BUILDING JULY FIRST

Furnishings Will Not All Be Ready, But Work Will Be Carried on by the New Secretary

A. C. Gran, the new secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will arrive here with Mrs. Gran from Mankato next Tuesday. From 8 to 10 o'clock the churches of the city will hold a reception for the newcomers at the Congregational church, a reception committee, of which Mrs. Judge John Brindley is chairman, having charge of the affair.

Mr. Gran is widely known for his successful Y. M. C. A. work, having been connected with the association at Mankato, where his progressive administration attracted attention.

The new building will be opened July 1, but will not have been furnished at that time, and Mr. Gran's first work will be to consult with the directors about that matter and



A. G. GRAN
New Secretary of the Y. M. C. A.
Who Will Arrive Tuesday

to further organize for the year's work, which will begin September 1, when the building is ready for occupancy.

A meeting of the board of directors will be held Tuesday afternoon and officers for the ensuing year will be elected. The board has been increased by the addition of three new members, as follows: Emil H. Erickson, Prof. Harry Spence and H. A. Worthington. A. C. Millington has been chosen to succeed W. W. Withee, resigned.

Carl Ogden, formerly associated with the Valley Garment company of this city and now secretary of the Lake Geneva Y. M. C. A., is being considered as a "boys' secretary." Mr. Ogden's success in the handling of the younger members of the association has caused him to be recognized, and a strong desire has been expressed to secure his services for this city.

The directors are in an enthusiastic frame of mind, and it is expected that their reception of Mr. Gran will be a tonic that will encourage him to enter the work with a vigor promising great achievements for the ensuing year.

MILLION ACRES TO BE DRAWN AUG. 5

WASHINGTON, May 22.—President Taft today signed a proclamation opening for settlement and entry a million acres of rich farm land in the Couer d'Alene Indian reservation, in Idaho, the Spokane reservation in Washington and the Flathead reservation in Montana. Couer d'Alene is the point for drawing sites in all three reservations.
Registration will begin July 15 and terminate Aug. 5 of this year.
The drawing will begin at 10 o'clock on the morning of Aug. 9 and continue as long as necessary to dispose of the lands.
The points of registration at which applications must be executed and sworn to are as follows:
For the Flathead—Either at Kalispell or Missoula, Mont.
For the Spokane land—at Spokane, Wash.
For lands of the Couer d'Alene reservation—At Couer d'Alene.

MR ELKINS PLEADS FOR REVISION UP

West Virginian Wants Still Higher Duties on Iron, Lumber and Coal Oil He Declares

MADE IT HOT FOR HIM

Senators Laugh as Culbertson Pictures Needy Multi-Millionaire Elkins Enriched by Tariff

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Sharp criticism of the Aldrich bill came from an unexpected quarter today when Senator Elkins of West Virginia, for years one of the stalwarts of the republican party, delivered a broadside in opposition to the schedules presented by the finance committee. He claims that the great lumber, coal and iron interests of West Virginia had been neglected, while the duties on farm products had been maintained or advanced.

Chairman Aldrich of the finance committee asked whether he objected to a duty on agricultural products.

Elkins replied that the bill should be consistent and that he was willing to grant protective rates for others, he wanted them also for his own state.

Aldrich Suggests Trade

"Do you want to make a trade with the senator from North Dakota?" asked Senator Aldrich.

"I would rather trade with you," said Elkins.

"Protection seems to be a matter of bargain and trade," suggested Senator Bailey of Texas.

"That will be evident before this is over," said Aldrich, and the republicans looked over to the democratic side with broad smiles.

Elkins said that there were three classes of duty, one ranging from 50 to 262 per cent, one from 25 to 50 per cent and one from 50 to 25 per cent.

Claims Discrimination

"West Virginia is in the low duty class," he said, "and is the victim of outrageous discrimination against oil, coal and lumber."

McCumber, with mock seriousness, told how the farmers of the northwest had all become millionaires and of the sad state of West Virginia under protection. He pointed to Senator Elkins as one of the typical victims. Elkins is six feet tall, broad, stout, ruddy and vigorous, worth millions of dollars and looks worth millions of dollars and looks the part.

TRIES TO FIX TARIFF VOTE

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Senator Aldrich today asked the senate to fix June 2 as the date upon which the final vote on the passage of the tariff bill shall be taken.

Senator Daniel objected and the matter went over.

WEATHER AND WATER



Coolest in La Crosse, 50; warmest, 76; wind, 4 miles; rainfall, 0.

Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Fair tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature.
Minnesota—Generally fair east; probably showers west portion tonight and Sunday.
Iowa—Generally fair tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature.

River Forecast

The river will remain stationary or rise slightly.

Stage of water:

	Stage.	Change.
St. Paul	6.8	0.0
Red Wing	7.3	0.0
Reed's Landing	7.2	Fall 0.1
La Crosse	8.5	Rise 0.2
Prairie du Chien	10.0	Fall 0.2
Dubuque	11.2	Fall 0.2

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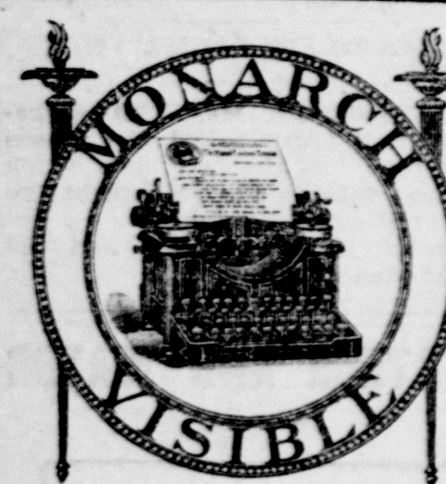
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EIGHTH INNING IS FATAL FOR LOCALS

With a Safe Lead of Two
Scores Duluth Hits Noel
Hard and Pulls Game
Out of the Fire

LA CROSSE SCORES EARLY

Safford's Bunch Get Runs
in the First and Second
But Marion Tightens
Up; Nothing Doing

Team	Standings	W.	L.	Pct.
Winona	8	1	.889
Eau Claire	7	2	.778
La Crosse	5	4	.556
Wausau	3	6	.333
Duluth	3	6	.333
Superior	1	8	.111

La Crosse, 4; Duluth, 6.
Winona, 3; Superior, 2.
Wausau, 2; Eau Claire, 6.

Games Today
Duluth at La Crosse.
Superior at Winona.
Eau Claire at Wausau.

After having the game practically cinched yesterday the locals threw it away again and Duluth lugged off the prize by a score of 6 to 4. Pitcher Noel was the victim yesterday, and when he went up in the eighth the stuff was off.

Four hits brought in as many tallies and when the scoring stopped the White Sox were in the lead. With this encouragement Pitcher Marion tightened up and refused to allow even the semblance of a hit the rest of the game.

Noel started the game in fine shape, but loose fielding and poor team work let O'Brien's bunch score in the second and fourth. These two runs proved fatal in the end, although they looked extremely insignificant up to the disastrous eighth. A hit by Cooper started the racket, but it would have not mattered if Chief Crowe, who by the way took the batting honors for the day, had not been asleep at his post and let Marion's easy grounder get past him. This error was costly, but it seemed that Safford's crowd had it on the ex-Copper leaguers anyway, so no one lost any sleep over it. When the same thing happened in the fourth inning with Kraher, it jarred a little, but the crowd which was made up largely of the fairer sex, did not mind it, as it only cost a run, and by this time locals had succeeded in chalking up 4 runs off of Pitcher Marion's output and two bad errors by Manager Darby in the first and second rounds.

All went well until the seventh was over. Of course there had been some pinches, but the little southpaw responded nobly and with the aid of some brilliant fielding pulled out nicely. When the climax approached he hung out the distress signal, by giving a base on balls to Taylor and allowing Cooper a pretty hit over Wilhelm's head, but Manager Safford heeded it not, and the little fellow felt himself slipping a moment later when Bancroft hit an attempted sacrifice to him and he did not know which way to throw it until the bases were full. He looked longingly toward the bleachers, where one of the other pitchers were warming up, but a glance at the sphinx-like face of the boss offered no encouragement and when the smoke cleared away after the slaughter four big runs were glaring down from the score board. It was then too late, as the flinger with the cute name braced perceptibly and it was just one, two, three, a pop up or an easy grounder, and the umpire's call "You're out."

Player	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Duluth	4	0	0	2	2
O'Brien, cf	4	0	1	5	0
Breen, cf	4	0	1	2	0
Kohl, 3b	4	0	1	2	0
McCrone, 1b	4	0	1	5	0
Taylor, rf	4	1	0	2	0
Cooper, lf	5	2	3	1	0
Bancroft, ss	4	2	2	2	0
Miller, c	4	1	1	4	3
Marion, p	4	0	2	0	3

Totals	37	6	11	27	10	3
La Crosse	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.	
Wilhelm, ss	5	1	0	2	2	2
Malloy, lf	5	1	0	3	1	0
Crowe, 3b	5	1	3	1	0	1
E. Klein, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0
R. Klein, cf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Safford, 1b	4	0	1	7	0	0
Kraher, 2b	4	0	1	2	1	1
Pogel, c	4	0	0	8	2	0
Noel, p	4	1	1	1	3	0

Totals 36 4 8 27 9 4
Score by innings:
La Crosse 2200000000—4
Duluth 010100040—6
Summary: Two base hits—Breen, Miller, O'Brien. Hit by pitcher—R. Klein. Wild pitch—Marion. Struck out—By Marion, 5; by Noel, 7. Bases in balls—Off Marion, 2; off Noel, 2. Time of game—2:10. Umpire—Maggie.

Winona, 3; Superior, 2.
WINONA, Minn., May 22.—Kil-



ATHELETICS DRIVE DONOVAN FROM BOX

Tiger Star Allows Boston
to Bunch Hits in the
Sixth Inning and Is
Benched

CHICAGO CUBS WIN AGAIN

Overall Holds Boston Run-
less; Mattern Hit Hard;
Rain Stops Other Na-
tional League Games

Games Yesterday.	AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Boston, 6; Chicago, 3.	
St. Louis, 2; New York, 1.	
Philadelphia, 8; Detroit, 4.	
Cleveland, 4; Washington, 3.	
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
Chicago, 7; Boston, 0.	
St. Louis-Philadelphia, rain.	
Pittsburg-New York, rain.	
Cincinnati-Brooklyn, rain.	
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	
Milwaukee, 4; St. Paul, 0.	
Louisville, 3; Indianapolis, 1.	
Columbus, 6; Toledo, 1.	
Kansas City, 3; Minneapolis, 2.	
WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.	
Madison, 5; Fond du Lac, 4.	
Green Bay, 10; Appleton, 1.	
Racine, 9; Oshkosh, 9 (13 in- nings).	

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WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.
Appleton in Rockford.
Fond du Lac in Madison.
Oshkosh in Racine.
Green Bay in Freeport.

Team	Standings.	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	18	10	.643
Boston	17	10	.630
Philadelphia	17	10	.630
New York	14	13	.519
Cleveland	13	15	.464
St. Louis	13	15	.464
Chicago	12	17	.414
Washington	7	19	.269

Team	Standings.	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburg	19	10	.655
Chicago	20	13	.607
Philadelphia	14	12	.538
Brooklyn	13	14	.481
Cincinnati	15	17	.469
St. Louis	14	18	.438
New York	11	15	.423
Boston	11	17	.393

Team	Standings.	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	20	11	.645
Louisville	19	14	.576
Indianapolis	18	17	.518
Minneapolis	15	16	.484
Kansas City	14	16	.467
St. Paul	13	16	.448
Toledo	14	18	.438

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Columbus	15	20	.417
WISCONSIN-ILLINOIS LEAGUE.				
Madison	13	3	.812
Rockford	11	5	.687
Appleton	.....	7	7	.500
Racine	.....	7	8	.467
Fond du Lac	.....	7	9	.438
Green Bay	.....	6	8	.429
Freeport	.....	6	11	.353
Oshkosh	.....	5	11	.313

Donovan started a game for the first time this season and was driven to the bench in the sixth inning on four hits, including a double and a triple, which decided the contest. Rain fell until time for starting play and the smallest crowd of the year saw the contest. Rossman's fielding was a feature.

Cleveland defeated Washington 4 to 1. It was Falkenberg's first game this year and he was effective with men on bases. Groome was invincible until the sixth when Goode's triple started the scoring for Cleveland.

St. Louis defeated New York 2 to 1, by hitting Warhop in two innings. Peltz for the Browns pitched a good game.

The White Sox showed that their hoodoo was not off yesterday when they went down to defeat before Boston again. This time the score was 6 to 3. Errors by Parnett and Weldon in the first inning were partly responsible for three runs.

National League
Boston lost its seventh straight game on Friday. Overall shutting the Beans out with one hit, while Chicago was scoring seven runs. Mattern was hit hard and had poor support. Boston's only hit came in the ninth inning.

Games in American League
At Detroit— R H E
Detroit 020101000—4 11 1
Philadelphia 000303011—8 16 3

Batteries—Donovan, Summers and Stange; Coombs and Thomas.

At Cleveland— R H E
Cleveland 000002020—4 7 0
Washington 000100000—1 7 0

Batteries—Falkenberg and Eastery; Groom and Street and Blankenship.

At St. Louis— R H E
St. Louis 000100100—2 9 2
New York 000100000—1 5 2

Batteries—Peltz and Stephens; Warhop and Blair.

At Chicago— R H E
Chicago 000000030—3 6 5
Boston 300100101—6 8 2

Batteries—White, Sutor and Owens; Arreanes and Carrigan.

Games in National League
At Boston— R H E
Boston 000000000—0 1 5
Chicago 100003021—7 13 2

Batteries—Mattern and Bowerman; Overall and Moran.

WELSH WALLOPS
GOODMAN EASILY

NEW YORK, May 22.—Freddie Welsh, the Englishman, handed Goodman a fine, large beating at the Fairmont club last night and Goodman is just about on the road to recovery today. Goodman was entirely out of his class. The ten round go was all Welsh's with the exception of the eighth and ninth rounds, when Goodman did some pretty work. It now appears that there is nothing in the lightweight class around New York that can stop Welsh.

TROOPS PREVENT LYNCHING.
JACKSON, Miss., May 22.—Expecting that an attempt may be made to lynch Will Mack, the negro who waylaid and assaulted a 15 year old white girl, after tearing the clothes from her back and beating her, Gov. Noel has ordered the Hazelhurst military company to report at Jackson at once.

DUNN BILL PASSED
MADISON, Wis., May 22.—(Special.)—The assembly Friday refused to kill the Dunn pocket ballot bill introduced by Assemblyman McConnell, declining to indefinitely postpone it by a vote of 59 to 19. The bill was then passed and now goes to the senate.

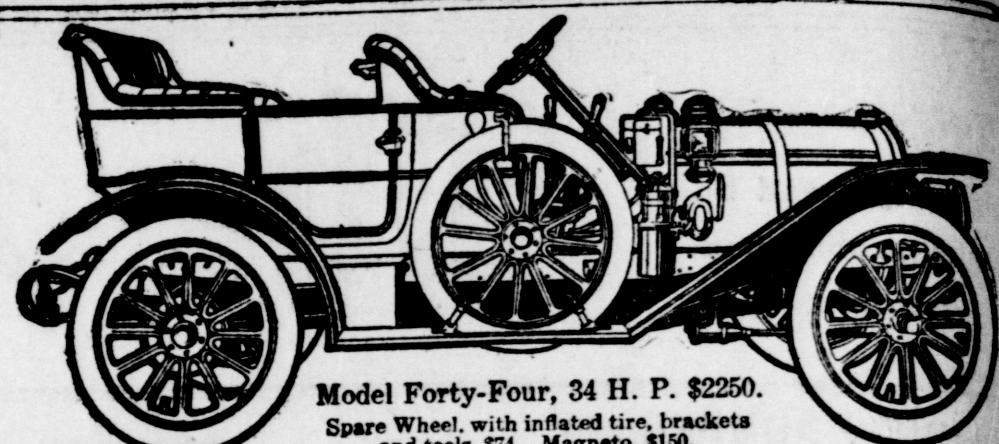
The senate passed the Page bill re-mov-ing the speed limit on automobiles but prohibiting reckless running, the courts having the authority to determine cases.

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THE SCIENCE OF HEALTH

Health is man's birthright. If, in
his ancestry, there had not been
abuse of nature's laws, health would
be every man's heritage. Health is
nature's rule, hence, because it pre-
vails, it is not generally rightly ap-
preciated. The health man has he
slightly takes for granted; the
health he has lost he sees at last at
its true value.

Wealth, affection, amusement, ease,
prestige—these with health con-
tribute to happiness. However, each
is a relatively valuable element in
the state of happiness. One may have
happiness without wealth, happiness
without ease, happiness without pre-
stige. But real happiness without
health is impossible.

Health is attainable; it is retain-
able. That is, born without health,
we may acquire it; born with health,
we may preserve it. Those born with-
out health never cease to strive for
it, but the great masses who are
born in health think too little of its
retention. Taking it as a matter of
course, they abuse body and mind
because they fail to understand the
priceless boon which carelessly they
wantonly squander.

Because it is natural to be healthy,
he who follows nature's laws best
conserves health. To follow these
laws they must be known and un-
derstood. To benefit by them there
must be a proper association of the
mental and physical functions, an ex-
ercise of the natural control of mind
over matter, a generalship of intel-
ligence directing a systematic move-
ment of the physical forces.

Not only is the average person de-
ficient in knowledge of these things,
but there is a dearth of health sci-
entists, of whatever school, who fully
appreciate the right course and
practice it. Your doctor, your sur-
geon, is an emergency man. He is
called when nature has turned in
an alarm. The harm is done, and
he comes with artificial assistance
to nature. The men who can teach
the world to live in health by simple
right living, who can unfold to our
understanding the magic of air, wa-
ter, exercise; who can reach the
muscle through the mind, making
every man to know himself and mas-
ter himself, are few in number.

Undoubtedly the greatest of the

few scientists who have become pub-
lic benefactors by the mastery of this
subject, is Prof. W. Earl Flynn,
whose appearance in La Crosse un-
der the auspices of The Tribune has
been announced. Prof. Flynn is not a
"healer," not a spiritualist in the
accepted sense. He is simply a nat-
ural scientist who has delved deeper
into the book of nature than have
his predecessors. He combines the
rare qualities of the student whose
mental mechanism readily acquires
and assimilates deep knowledge, and
of the teacher gifted in the science
of imparting his ideas. Profound
facts, essential to the government of
a perfect life, come from him clothed
in simplicity that makes one
wonder why the things his teachings
reveal were not known to all. It is
an absorption of nature's wisdom,
an application of nature's laws, a
simple readjustment of the physical
organization, and a revival, or stimu-
lation, of functions through natural
forces. This body is a machine. Run
perfectly, it works perfectly. It is as
easy to run it right, as to run it
wrong. Prof. Flynn teaches people
how to run it right. It is more im-
portant than for one to know how to
run one's automobile or one's launch
correctly. And in the learning of the
rules, you are not to be preached at;
there will be no sermonizing. You
will be entertained and instructed
as few men have the gift of entertain-
ing and instructing. Simple
common sense, presented lucidly
by a magnetic and sympathetic
teacher of men, is what La Crosse
people are to be given by the world's
leading disciple of health, Prof. W.
Earl Flynn.

WHO'S "ANOTHER?"

A local morning contemporary
publishes the following in its edi-
torial columns:

"Party platforms are necessary,
but are misconstrued, unless they
are positive and specific. I make
this statement in view of the way
in which the republicans are revis-
ing the tariff upward instead of
downward. These are the words of
William J. Bryan, written for the
Milwaukee Journal and published in
the issue of that newspaper for
Tuesday of the current week; we
reprint them here merely to show
how small a man can be who has
three times been the candidate of a
great political party for the presi-
dency. The reduction of the total
tariff burden by the terms of either
the Payne bill or the Aldrich bill
will be so many millions of dollars that
it is a matter of grave concern to
those who are intrusted with the re-
sponsibilities of government how the
treasury of the United States can be
recouped for the enormous decline
in revenues resultant under the loss
of customs, revenues under the pro-
posed tariff legislation. Yet Mr.
Bryan has the hardihood to write for
publication in a Wisconsin newspaper
the manifest falsehood that the re-
publicans in congress are 'revising
the tariff upward.' The incident can-
not possibly elevate Mr. Bryan in the
esteem of the people of this state."

People who thus see Mr. Bryan,
reputed for his simple honesty, called
a liar, are apt to question the
charge, even in the absence of evi-
dence that it is false. But evidence
is not wanting. We publish the fol-
lowing statement taken from the offi-
cial record of Senator Aldrich's own
speech in the United States senate:

The value of merchandise import-
ed in the fiscal year of 1907 was
\$778,501,276. The revenue collected
on these imports under the present
law amounted to \$327,109,242.
Applied to the same imports, the
duties of the Aldrich bill would
amount to \$329,002,721. The Ald-
rich bill increases the duties \$9,
894,278. Under the existing law
the revenue is 42.2 per cent of the
value of the imports and under the
Aldrich duties it would be 42.5 per
cent.

As Mr. Bryan has simply taken
Senator Aldrich's word for it, the
senator must be the liar, if there
is one. But there isn't, so far as that
statement is concerned.

Nothing pleases a woman quite so
much as to look so sweet that a man
wants to kiss her, and then abuse
him for his impudence.

HELPFUL WORDS

From a La Crosse Citizen.

Is your back lame and painful?
Dose it ache especially after exertion?

Is there a soreness in the kidney
region?

These symptoms indicate weak
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There is danger in delay.
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They strengthen weak kidneys.
Read this La Crosse testimony.

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ney complaint for several years and
my back ached most of the time. I
also had attacks of rheumatism and
often my whole body ached. Doan's
Kidney Pills, procured from Erhart's
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lief and I cannot say too much in
their favor."

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AN AKRON MAN.



MR. WILLIAM F. STEESE.

Mr. William F. Steese, 701 Coburn St.,
Akron, Ohio, writes:

"I have been troubled for several
years with catarrh of the stomach.
Have used different patent medicines
to no effect whatever, and have doc-
tored considerable with family doctor.
"Sometimes his treatment would re-
lieve me for a few weeks, but would
eventually have to go back to him, and
that had kept up for several years.

"I was advised to use Peruna, and
have taken three bottles. Never felt
so good in my life. Am going to con-
tinue using it. Wouldn't be with-
out it in the house. I will gladly re-
commend it to any one afflicted with
catarrh of stomach, or stomach trouble
of any kind."

The above is an oft-repeated story.
Troubled for years with chronic ca-
tarrh. Tried different remedies and
doctors to no avail. Peruna was ad-
vised by friends. Instant relief expe-
rienced. Great gratitude to Peruna
expressed. This, in brief, is a story
that is repeated to us a great many
times every year.

No one could be in touch with our
vast correspondence for one month
without being impressed with the sin-
cerity and truthfulness of these kind of
testimonials.

Peruna promptly produces an ap-
petite, corrects digestion and relieves
stomach difficulties that have resisted
other treatment.

Man-a-lin an Ideal Laxative.

IN THE NATION'S
CAPITOL

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 21.—

Mr. Aldrich is insisting, as are all
republicans, that adequate protec-
tion should be given every industry
that needs protection. In this case,
it would seem as though Aldrich and
his colleagues were forcing protec-
tion upon an interest that did not
need or desire it.

Gas retorts proved the subject of
an equally significant debate bring-
ing out the lack of information pre-
vailing on any subject with which
the tariff bill deals. The Dingley
law tax on gas retorts is \$3 a piece.
The Aldrich bill proposes a 30 per
cent ad valorem duty. The Rhode
Island senator explained that gas re-
torts were of many sizes and values,
some of them varying as much as
from a few dollars to several hun-
dred dollars, and that a specific duty
was inequitable.

Mr. Aldrich: Mr. President, where
did we ever make the statement that
we would revise the tariff down-
ward?

Mr. Bailey: I will ask the senator
if his party did not pledge themselves
to revise the tariff?

Mr. Aldrich: They agreed to revise
the tariff upon the basis of rates
which would equal the difference in
cost of production in this country
and abroad, with a reasonable profit.

Mr. Bailey: Yes; and there never
was anything more absurd, Mr. Pres-
ident, than for a great political party
to pledge itself that men engaged in
any business should have a profit.
Who guarantees to the American
farmer that he shall have a profit
upon his land, or his labor? Who
guarantees to any other people in
this republic that they shall have a
profit or that they shall be permitted
by law to charge a price for com-
modities or services that insures a
profit?

Mr. La Follette: I merely wish to
ask the senator from Rhode Island
at this point, if he will state to the
senate what portion of duty provided
for in this paragraph (gas retorts)
measures the difference in the cost
of production in this and other coun-
tries, and what portion of duty is
fixed as the measure of the reason-
able profit, which he states was guar-
anteed by the republican platform?

Mr. Aldrich: About 30 to 40 man-
ufacturers of gas retorts in the United
States join in this statement. It says:

"The schedule embracing these
products compiled by the United
States treasury department shows an
average cost of importations of
about \$12 a ton. American products
of the same class cost about \$18
per ton at seaboard."

Mr. La Follette: What portion of
the duty measures to the producers
in this country a reasonable profit?

Mr. Aldrich: There was nothing
said in the statement about profit
on goods produced in this country.
They say the cost of production
abroad is \$8 a ton, as against \$12
in this country.

Mr. La Follette: Did the senator
take the statement of these interest-
ed parties as to the difference in the
cost of production between this coun-
try and the competing country with-
out making any further investigation
to ascertain whether it was true or
not?

Mr. Aldrich: I have no inclination
to reject the statement of
reputable American manufacturers,

unless there is some evidence to the
contrary of their statement.

One needs a highly developed
sense of humor to appreciate the
subtleties of some of the Aldrich
explanations. For instance, in re-
ply to one of Dolliver's attacks on
the cotton schedules, Aldrich ex-
plained that the rate had been changed
from an ad valorem tax, a per-
centage of the value, to a specific
tax of so much per yard or unit of
measurement, because the importers
played tricks on the customs offi-
cials, and it was difficult to ascer-
tain the exact value of importations.
But in the same schedule are a score
of instances where the ad valorem
rate is retained, and in even the
items in dispute at the time, an ad
valorem tax is imposed in addition
to the specific duty. And for a com-
plication of duties, this paragraph of-
fers a veritable Sam Lloyd puzzle.

Par. 94. Lava tips for burners,
10 cents per gross and 15 per cent
ad valorem; carbons for electric
lighting, 70 cents per 100 feet; fil-
ter tubes, 30 per cent ad valorem;
porous carbon pots for electric bat-
teries, without metallic connections,
20 per cent ad valorem.

Senator Aldrich, Lodge and Smoot
all took a hand at trying to explain
this paragraph, and after they had
talked two pages of the Congressional
Record it was just a little more puz-
zling than when they began.

Even conceding that the senate
isn't making either a revenue tariff
or a protective tariff, but is manu-
facturing a composite or hybrid tax
law intended both to raise money
and protect home industries, it is
rather difficult, in spots, to reconcile
parts of the program. There is a
high duty on all kinds of furniture,
for instance, justified by the desire
to make people buy home-made fur-
niture. Now, however, such furniture
and cabinet-making woods, rough
and sawed in boards, as mahogany,
lignum vitas, lancewood, cedar, eh-
ony, box, rosewood, etc., are on the
free list. The Aldrich bill puts a
fifteen per cent tax on them, which
means that the wood which goes in-
to fine furniture will be 15 per cent
more costly to the manufacturer,
and of course he will get it back in
increased prices to the consumer.

These woods must all be imported,
as they don't grow in this country.
There's no protection in this sched-
ule. It's a revenue tax, pure and
simple. And the effect is this: The
duty on furniture brings in little
revenue, because the importations
are prohibited by a high tax; then,
to get a revenue, the domestic fur-
niture manufacturer must pay a duty
on the wood he uses. Looks foolish,
doesn't it? There used to be a re-
publican idea that when an industry
was protected by high tariff on the
manufactured goods, both the manu-
facturer and the consumer should
have the benefit of free raw material
especially if there was no way of
building up a home industry in the
raw material. But the old ideas
count for little in the Aldrich scheme
of tariff-making, and the new ones
are very difficult to understand.

QUIPS AND CRANKS
AND WANTON WILES

Ten Little Bachelors.

Ten little bachelors said: "This life
for mine."

One tied a maiden's shoe, then there
were nine.

Nine little bachelors swore the girls
to hate.

One did protest too much, then there
were eight.

Eight little bachelors thought their
life was heaven.

One had another thought, then there
were seven.

Seven little bachelors, up to Cupid's
tricks,

One took a buggy ride, then there
were six.

Six little bachelors, glad they were
alive,

One fell dead in love, then there were
five.

Five little bachelors went off to the
war.

A trained nurse captured one, then
there were four.

Four little bachelors cowboys went
to be.

One got roped in, then there were
three.

Three little bachelors came home
feeling blue.

A show girl abducted one, then there
were two.

Two little bachelors wondered how
'twas done.

Investigation showed one, then there
was one.

One little bachelor, lonely, tossed a
penny.

"Heads I wed." The coin came head,
then there wasn't any.
—S. S. Stinson in N. Y. Times.

No Escape.

Temperance Gentleman—Tom Tim-
kins, if you continue like this you
are only weeping and gnashing in store
for you.

The Incurable—Ain't (hic got a
tooth (hic) in me head.

Temperance Gentleman—My
friend, teeth will be provided.—Lon-
don Tatler.

Detective Story

"It is believed that the robbery
must have taken place after midday
on February 20, when the treasure
was certainly intact, and before 2
o'clock on the afternoon of Febru-
ary 22, at which time the discovery
was made."—Daily Chronicle.

The author of "Sherlock Holmes"
has not lived in vain.—Punch.

Playwright—"Did you see my
play?" Critic—"Oh! yes." Play-
wright—"Well, what did you think
of the finish?" Critic—"Great Scott!
It hasn't been taken off already, has
it?"

Food is
more tasteful,
healthful and nutri-
tious when raised with

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The only baking powder made
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Love The Criminal

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When she had obeyed his instruc-
tions, he got the anchor on board,
and moving quickly on to the thwart,
shipped the oar. But quick though
he had been, the boat had slipped a
dozen yards down the stream before
the blades of his oars gripped the
water. Then he set to work in great
earnest and exerted all his great
strength to force the punt through
the sluicing tide.

In less than an hour he reached a
small "hard"—a firm path of shingle
running out from the bank
through the soft deep mud on either
side. As the bow of the punt grated
on the stones, a dog barked fur-
iously, and Pat sprang to his feet
with the hair ruffling on his back.

A second later a black and tan
collie sprang over the edge of the
bank, and showed his white teeth.
Then the bulky figure of a man ap-
peared, and as he saw John Shil, he
touched his hat, gave the dog a kick,
and hurried down the narrow cause-
way.

"You are early, s'mornin', sir," he
said, as he laid hold of the boat and
pulled it farther up the "hard." His
brown, weather-beaten face betray-
ed no surprise at Laura's presence.
He helped her out of the punt, as
though he had been expecting her
arrival.

"Walk straight up," said John
Shil to Laura; "I'll be with you in
a minute."

She took the hint, and strolling
quietly up the path, climbed to the
top of the bank and surveyed the
dreary stretch of marshland around
her. From that point of vantage
she could see that she was on a large
island. Eight feet below her there
was a small black house, built of
tanned wood. A woman stood at the
doorway scattering grain to a crowd
of hungry fowls. The collie sat a
few yards away from her and snarled
at Pat, who regarded him with well-
bred contempt.

In less than a minute John Shil
and the man, who appeared to be
half-sailor and half-farmer, came up
to her, and the man touched his hat.
"Mrs. Dowsett will be glad to put
you up," said John Shil with a smile,
"and you ought to get the rest here
you want. It's quick enough. Dow-
sett, this is Miss Laura Vane, and
your missus has got to look after her
as if she were a daughter."

The man bowed gravely. A Lon-
doner might have smiled, or even
winked. But this stolid fellow, who
had passed all his life at sea or on
the grim flats of Essex, had acquired
some of the silence of his surround-
ings. And, as Laura looked at him,
she knew that she was in the hands
of one who would do all that he was
told, and say nothing about it.

"Miss Vane," continued Shil, "is
very hungry, and so am I. I dare-
say Mrs. Dowsett can get us some
breakfast."

"Eggs and a bit of fish, sir, I've
no doubt," the man replied.

They descended the steep bank,
which kept the waters of the creek
from overflowing the marshland, and
Mrs. Dowsett, after the situation was
explained to her, promised a sub-
stantial meal in twenty minutes. She
was a lean, pale-faced woman, and
her body was bent with labour and
the damp of the marshes. But there
was a kindly smile on her worn face,
and Laura felt that she would find
all the sympathy of a good heart
under the somewhat forbidding exte-
rior.

After an excellent breakfast, dur-
ing which the two lovers talked
cheerfully on the most commonplace
subjects, John Shil lit a cigarette,
and, drawing out a tide-table, stud-
ied it thoughtfully.

"It will be no good my leaving
here for two hours, Laura," he said;
"I can't possibly row up the creek
to Black Hall till the tide begins to
flow. Shall we have a walk round
the island?"

"Yes," she answered in a low
voice. "I should like it. The loneli-
ness of this place fascinates me."

It was an ordinary reply to an or-
dinary question, but her voice trem-
bled. For she knew that the brief
period of quiet friendship was over,
and that the hour had come in which
she was to pit the strength of her
love against the honour of the man
who loved her.

"This is wonderful," said Laura,
as they walked along the high bank
which surrounded the island. "I
have never seen anything like it be-
fore."

"It seems strange after Laverstone
and the Stonewall Hills," he replied,
"but one gets used to it in these
parts. At first the flatness and deso-
lation depressed me, but now I am
inclined to think that it has a charm
of its own."

"Yet it must be dreadful to live
here always," she said. "Poor Mrs.
Dowsett! no wonder she looks so
white and ugly and old. Yet the
man looks well enough."

"Ah, that is the unfairness of life
in the Essex flats," he replied. "The
men go about their work on the wa-
ter, and fine healthy work it is, too.
This chap works on the oyster beds
farther up the creek, and he is a sort
of watchman of the oyster fisheries.
But the women spend all their time
on the land, and you can see the
mark of the soil in their faces. Ague,
malaria, rheumatism, these are the
devils of the marshes, and it is the
women who writhe in their clutches.
Yet they bear it all patiently for
their husbands' sakes."

Laura was silent, and looked out
across the lonely land to the still
more lonely sea. Her life had been
full of great tragedies, of events
which had seared both heart and
brain. Yet she wondered as she looked
at the wide bank of glistening
mud, and the brown sluicing tide,
and the dull stillness which seemed
the keynote of the place, whether
after all there was any tragedy to
equal the monotony of existence in a
land like this. She, at least, had
lived; she had been moved by strong
passions, and been scorched by liv-
ing flame. But Mrs. Dowsett could
never have known anything but the
dreariness of life.

"Poor souls," she said, after a
long pause, and there were tears in
her eyes.
fixed on the distant sea, as though
she were looking for the return of
some ship—some golden arrow that
would bring back happiness into life.
"Shall we sit down?" said John
Shil gently. "The timbers of that
wreck seem dry enough."

"Oh, they are quite content," Shil
replied, "and they have what some
of us would give much to possess—a
contented mind and a quiet sense of
duty. They make no fuss about it,
and, if anyone were to suggest that
they were heroic, they would laugh.
They have their own ideas of hero-
ism. Many of their husbands and
their brothers are heroes in their
eyes—men who have saved life at
sea, and who have been through
hardships which are never recount-
ed in the daily papers. They do not
realize that the men are alive, and
they are little better than dead."

"Save that they do their duty,"
Laura replied slowly, "and surely
that is the highest life of all."

She did not look at him as she
spoke; but he knew from the tone
of her voice that she was not think-

ing of Mrs. Dowsett. Her eyes were
turned to a sharp turn in
the bank. A narrow creek flowed in
land for nearly half a mile, and the
bank, following the line of the water,
ran obediently along the whole
length of it and returned on the oth-
er side. The creek was not more
than fifty yards wide at the moment,
but it was necessary to make a de-
tour of half a mile to skirt it. Half-
way down the bank, on the side
which faced the water, was the bat-
tered frame of an old barge—a mere
skeleton of a thing that had per-
haps once been the pride of its own-
er and crew. John Shil moved to-
wards it down the steep slope, and
held out his hand to Laura.

(To be Continued.)

IMPORTANT COURT DECISIONS

"THREE WEEKS" IS INDECENT
AND IMPURE. Defendant was con-
victed of selling a certain printed
book, entitled "Three Weeks," al-
leged to contain obscene, indecent,
and impure language manifestly tend-
ing to the corruption of the morals
of youth. The characters in the book
were involved in what would

THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

"Uncle Charlie" Perry 92 Years Young



MR. S. C. PERRY, Age 92.

Mr. Samuel Charles Perry, of Lockport, N. Y., who is 92 years old and a bachelor, retains all his faculties to a remarkable degree. He is as active and vigorous as he was twenty years ago. Recently, when celebrating his 92d birthday, he entertained his friends by playing on the violin, which he has owned for over sixty years, many old-time pieces.

For many years Mr. Perry has been prominent in business and politics.

In his old age he finds Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey indispensable, and the only medicine to which his vigor is due; he says that it has no equal.

Mr. Perry writes: "The vitality and usefulness of my powers, which I have preserved through a long life up to the age of ninety-two, I attribute partly to moderation in all things, partly to an indisposition to worry and partly to my natural abhorrence of all kinds of drugs."

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PROGRAM OUT FOR THE JUNE CARNIVAL

Kline Shows This Year to
Be Best in the Street Business, Judging From
Advertising

The program for the north side carnival, which will be held the week commencing June 7, have been issued and distributed to the various merchants and business houses. From the advertising matter which has been gotten out, nothing but a striking success can be predicted for the enterprise. The carnival will include the great animal show, an attraction which requires three sixty foot cars for transportation. The show is guaranteed to please the most fastidious and includes educated lions, leopards, tigers, dogs, monkeys, bears, etc. The famous Russian midget has been secured by Mr. Kline for his attractions and will be seen here. He is truly a wonderful specimen of the human race, being but twenty-five inches in height. Among the rest of the shows will be the Oriental theater, consisting of dancers, gut spinners, magicians and acrobats; Ben Hur, the most marvelously educated horse in the world; the Aztec, the last survivor of that historic tribe of cliff dwelling In-

dians in Mexico; Elma, the world's largest girl; Alice, acknowledged to be the strongest girl known to the public, and many other attractions.

Many of the shows are already here for the beginning of rehearsals and are awaiting the arrival of Herbert Kline, to take active charge of the operations. The carnival will open here June the seventh and will continue for one week, showing in the afternoon and evening.

From the interest which is being manifested in the enterprise, it is safe to say that it will be the most successful carnival ever held on the North Side.

KNUT RINGSAGER LAID TO REST

The funeral of Knut Ringsager, who died at Burwick, N. D., last Sunday, was held at 3 o'clock from the residence of C. Pederson, 1341 Caledonia street this afternoon, undertaker Sletten in charge. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. O. Vik of the Charles Street Lutheran church. Interment was made in the Oak Grove cemetery.

Mr. Ringsager, while in Burwick, last Friday, became seriously ill, and attending physicians could do nothing for him. After suffering for nearly three days he expired, the cause as given by the doctors being obstruction of the bowels. Relatives here were notified of his death and immediately proceeded to Burwick. The remains of the deceased man arrived in this city over the Milwaukee road last night.

Mr. Ringsager was 65 years of age and it is thought that but for his advanced age he might have recovered. He made La Crosse his home living with relatives on the north side. He leaves to mourn his loss two brothers, Even Knutson and I. Nordstven of this city; a sister in Norway; his nephew, K. S. Knutsen, and a niece, Mrs. P. Pederson, both of La Crosse.

YOUNG ATHLETE HURT BY A FALL

Milton Figgie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Figgie, 1027 Rose street, while practicing for his event, the high jump, in the annual grade school track meet which was held this afternoon, fell and fractured his arm, yesterday at the Tenth district school. Dr. Luck was called to attend the lad. He was taken to his home and today is reported to be resting easily.

His loss was very noticeable, as the track team of the Tenth district school was counting on him to take first place in the high jump. At the tryout meet which was held several weeks ago, the young boy won the high jump event, with leap of five feet, which is about three inches under the mark which the best of the local high school men are able to make.

CANTATA BY TENTH WARD CHILDREN

A musical cantata, entitled "Echoes of '63," will be given by the pupils of the intermediate grades of the Tenth District school next Saturday evening at the Woodman hall on Rose street.

The children have been training faithfully for their parts and a successful presentation is expected. The cantata is divided into four

parts entitled "Dance of the Nixies," "Off to War," "On the Old Camp Ground" and "Columbia's Children."

WILLIAM KINNEY HURT AT MEDARY

William Kinney, a brakeman employed on the Milwaukee road, while performing his duties on the freight train which gets here about 10:30 o'clock in the morning, severely sprained his ankle yesterday at Medary. He was taken to the North side, where Dr. Egan was called to attend him. The young man's home is in Portage. He is resting easily today and expects to be back to work in about two weeks.

NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Mr. Chas. Williams of Camp Douglas, Wis., is a guest of his son, B. J. Williams, 1337 George St.

Mrs. C. Ellis, 1116 Rose street, is visiting friends in Brownsville, Minn., for a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Corlett of La Crescent, Minn., was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

Mrs. F. A. Mitchell has returned to her home in Minneapolis after a short visit on the North Side.

The conversation class meets with Miss Norma Partridge, 1433 Charles street, this evening.

The St. Joseph baseball team played the St. James team on the Indian Hill diamond this morning.

The regular meeting of the B. B. D. club was held last evening at the home of Miss Agnes Schaller, 1637 Wood street.

Miss Ethel Herrington, 1536 Avon street, is visiting friends at Dubuque, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Roggensack, 2019



MICHAEL KNUDSON.

This young man has just secured a position with the Interstate Packing Company, Winona, Minn. Parents who do not provide some real money making education for their children are making a mistake. With a few exceptions, people have to lead useful lives and earn what they get. The education of culture and refinement without the practical ability to produce, is a failure, always has been, and always will be. The education that does not provide for better homes, better food, better clothing, and for some financial returns is a ridiculous farce. The higher things of life are built on the material, and no man or nation ever built permanent success without it. Of course, the combination makes the most desirable man or woman. The W. B. U. stands for the practical side of life. It does not claim this is all, but it does claim that it is all good as far as it goes and that there is no better investment of time and money which can be made. Send for catalogue. Wisconsin Business University, La Crosse, Wis.

STRONG WORDS IN PRAISE OF WORK

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the work of Prof. Flynn is important and helpful and recommends that people investigate the system of the health specialist by attending the lectures and acquainting themselves with what Mr. Flynn is doing.

Deserves Full Encouragement
Rev. R. Anderson, pastor of the West Avenue Norwegian Lutheran church says:

"If Prof. Earl Flynn is as good as his reputation and the press notices about his work are true, I think he should be heartily endorsed and encouraged by the ministry. I have no personal acquaintance with his work other than by hearsay but am sure that anything that he will say to lead us to become physically better men, any way in which he can show us how to help ourselves to good health is well worthy of our attention and appreciation."

Urges People to Attend
Rev. George W. Fogge, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church on the north side, is interested deeply in the work of Professor Flynn and does not qualify his endorsement.

"I believe what Mr. Flynn preaches will be helpful to the members of my congregation," said the pastor this morning, "and I shall urge all to attend these lectures and derive the great amount of good that is certain to be in them. I receive only the highest recommendations of this man and his work for good health and I believe his campaign in La Crosse will be most helpful to our people generally."

Sure to Do Good
Rev. John S. Lowe, pastor of St. Paul's Universalist church, believes Prof. Flynn's campaign here will result in good. He approves of the methods employed by the specialist and believes with the other ministers that health of body does much to stimulate a healthy spirit.

Other ministers are as enthusiastic in their praise of the campaign which opens Monday and are expecting great results in which benefits the church will share, for the creed of Prof. Flynn teaches sobriety, temperance, cleanliness, faith in self and right, proper care of the body and the maintenance of a tranquility of mind, which come only from clean thoughts and optimism. He believes in providing proper diet as fuel for the body, and to build pure blood, right breathing to purify and cleanse the blood and scientific exercise to carry the pure, life-building vital fluid to every artery and to the smallest capillary in the body. Where there is pure blood and right mental and hygienic conditions disease has a small chance.

George street, have gone to Lansing, Ia., to spend Sunday.

Miss Agnes Ruud is home from her school duties at West Salem to spend Sunday.

Mr. Earl Staats of the Staats Ragalia Co., is confined to his home by illness.

NORTH SIDE CHURCHES

German Evangelical Lutheran.
Emanuel German Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Avon and St. Paul streets. Rev. C. M. Thurov, pastor. Services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Norwegian Lutheran.
Corner Charles and Sill streets. Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor. Regular services.

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran.
Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church, corner Sill and George, O. L. Christenson, pastor. Evening service 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday confirmation at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Tabernacle Baptist Church.
Tabernacle Baptist church, corner Clinton and Avon streets. George William Fogge, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30; Sunday school at 10 o'clock; B. Y. P. U. at 6:45. The subject will be "Life Lessons from the Birds and Flowers." Evening worship at 7:45. Prayer meeting at 7:45 on Wednesday evening.

St. Peter's Church.
Logan and Avon streets. Rev. C. N. Moller. Services at 3 p. m.

Caledonia Street M. E.
Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal. Rev. A. V. Ingham, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30. Subject of sermon, "Forgiveness." Sixth in a series on the "Lord's Prayer." Evening, 7:30. "Contemplated Improvements in North La Crosse." In this address the pastor will speak upon the "Need of a Cemetery for the North Side." Everybody welcome.

German M. E. Church.
Corner Clinton and Berlin streets. Rev. W. J. Ritter, pastor. Sermon at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.

North Presbyterian.
Corner Logan and Avon streets. Rev. A. A. Randall, pastor. Sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening service 7:45.

Scandinavian Baptist.
Scandinavian Baptist church, corner Charles and Logan streets. Rev. Iver Larson, pastor. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Ed Foss, superintendent. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30.

Norwegian Methodist.
Norwegian Methodist church, corner Berlin and Sill streets. Rev. Eliot Hansen, pastor. Regular services.

Trinity Lutheran Church.
Trinity Lutheran church on Avon street, Rev. T. T. Hovstad, pastor. Services with communion Sunday morning at 10:30. English service in the evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

ATHLETES SHOW UP WELL AT PRACTICE

Try-out Field Meet Yesterday Encourages Athletic Directors of the High School

MEET CONTEST HERE JUNE 5

High School Athletes from Many Schools Will Then Come to Cope With Local Record Makers

In the tryout track meet held at the fair grounds yesterday afternoon between the wearers of the abbreviated trousers of the high school the participants demonstrated clearly that the high school will have a capable team to represent it at the interstate meet to be held in La Crosse June 5, and also at the Madison meet next Saturday afternoon. In every event, one or more of the boys qualified, which will make it allowable for the La Crosse team to have an entrant in every event in the interstate meet. Frank Novak was the particular star of the afternoon, running the three events in which he entered in less than the required time. He made the 100 yard dash in 10 4-5 seconds, the 440 yard dash in 55 seconds and the half mile in 2 minutes and 12 seconds, which is a remarkable record for a high school boy.

The men to qualify yesterday are as follows:

One mile, Strum, 5 minutes; R. Keller, shot put, 39 feet, 11 inches; H. Gund, R. Bradish, high jump; high hurdles, Wallace Tourtellotte, Roddy; discus, Roddy; low hurdles, Tourtellotte; one-fourth mile, Frank Novak, 55 seconds; pole vault, Harrison, 9 feet; 100 yard dash, Frank Novak, 10 4-5 seconds; hammer throw, Jacobson, 127 feet, 6 inches; relay team, Tourtellotte, S. Gordon, A. Leisinger, F. Novak; half mile, Frank Novak, 2 minutes, 12 seconds.

GET TICKETS IN CHURCH TOMORROW

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bled with colds. The others would not be affected."

Professor Flynn brings out many interesting points regarding the human body in his lectures. For instance who ever thought before that the human body needs 80 barrels of air a day for its proper care? This air is pumped into and out of the lungs.

To get this 80 barrels of air a day one must have 5 1/2 inches of chest expansion. It cannot be secured with only three inches. How to get this 5 1/2 inches is one of the points which Professor Flynn explains in his lecture. It is about just such matters as these that every man, woman and child in La Crosse should know, and this is the reason why The Tribune is bringing him to this city.

Athletes Get Sick
Naturally one would think that any old kind of exercise would be sufficient to develop the lungs. An athlete may be able to shoulder immense weights. He may have wonderful biceps and triceps, and strong legs, yet he is a constant victim to colds, pneumonia and asthma. It is the hygienic breathing that have made Professor Flynn's methods of lung development most famous. It may be interesting to know that 75 per cent of the athletes who presented themselves at the time of the Spanish war were rejected on account of insufficient lung capacity.

Colds only come to filthy bodies, according to Professor Flynn. This statement should not be taken to mean that a man's face and hands are dirty. What he means is that the blood is filthy, it is poisonous. He maintains that in addition to a water bath daily, every person should take a natural bath at least twice a week. That is they should flush the system through the pores of the body, get up a sweat, and allow the poison to be eliminated. The human body contains the most wonderful sewer system known. There are over 28 miles of drainage pipes leading out through the skin.

How to Keep Skin Healthy
He will tell in his lectures how to keep the skin healthy so that it will properly perform its functions.

The Tribune will welcome inquiries regarding further particulars of these lectures, which many not yet have been fully explained in these articles. Professor Flynn comes to La Crosse with The Tribune standing as his sponsor. To prepare the people for his message of good health this paper wants to explain as fully as possible in advance what his system is.

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20 Items Picked at Random From Our Big List Of Splendid Bargains

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Ladies' and Misses' 15c gauze lisle vests and pants, a splendid money-saving bargain, at each 9c

Ladies' 39c and 50c lisle gauze vests and pants and 50c corset covers, at each 27c

HOSIERY BARGAINS

Children's 12 1-2c fine ribbed hose in all sizes at, the pair, only 6c

Ladies' 25c plain, fancy embroidered and lace hose; broken lots of children's Iron Clad 25c stockings, and infants' cashmere hose, at the pair 17c

DRESS GOODS

10 pieces of mixed and checked suitings in light colors, formerly sold at 50c, for this sale at the yard 22c

36 in. all wool Batiste, Albatros, Melrose Crepe and Mohairs in a variety of shades, values up to 65c, for this sale, at the yard 45c

WASH GOODS

Flowered organdies, 20c values, for this sale, at the yard 15c

Fine grade mercerized poplins, regular 35c values for this sale at the yard 23c

WASH GOODS AND WHITE GOODS

White Dimities in checks and stripes, 10 and 12 1-2c values, for this sale, at the yard 7 1/2c

Anderson's shirting and double fold dress gingham, regular 12 1-2c values, for this sale, at the yard 7 1/2c

Red Seal Zephyrs and Toil du Nord Gingham, always sold at 12 1-2c, for this sale, at the yard 10c

Pongee Motor Suitings in stripes and checks, 15c values for this sale, at the yard 10c

All our 12 yard pieces of Long Cloth, values from \$1.49 to \$1.98, for this sale, per piece \$1.19

SILKS!

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24 in. Bungalow silks in rose, tan, light blue and Cadet, regular \$1.00 values, for this sale, at the yard 49c

Foulard and Fancy Silks in checks and stripes, regular 85c, values, for this sale, at the yard 54c

DOMESTICS

Best American and Simpson Prints, regular 37 1/2c values, for this sale, at the yard 37 1/2c

Amoskeag and Lancaster Apron Gingham, 51 1/2c worth 8c, for this sale, at the yard 51 1/2c

36 in. Bleached Muslin remnants, values up to 12 1-2c, for this sale, at the yard 5c

Best quality oilcloth in plain white and fancy for this sale, at the yard 14c

Best quality 36 in feather ticking, 25c values, for this sale, at the yard 17c

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PERSONALS

Recital Y. M. C. A. hall May 24, by Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Ross. Flower vases at \$3.50 and up, wire fences 25c and up, iron fences 50c and up, boulevard rails 35c and up, hitching posts 85c and up, vine trainers 10c and up, flower bed arches, doz. 25c, 35c, 45c. B. Trepte, 121 S. Front St.

Rev. O. Gulbrandson of Blair was in the city on business this week.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. Jens Hanson, of the firm of Fuller & Hanson of Whitehall, transacted business in the city this week.

Henry Saupe has returned to his home in this city after a visit with his son, Arnold Saupe at Whitehall. E. J. Brovold and K. K. Hagestad of Ettrick were business visitors in the city this week.

Rev. W. L. Mason of Viroqua was in the city the latter half of this week.

REO, \$500 and \$1000. Get there-and-back, every day in the year, and that's what counts most. Elsen & Kneen, Bangor.

The Misses Lucy and Elmore Dierling of this city are visiting their father at Lanesboro this week.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Mrs. Anton Zimmerhake of Caledonia was the guest of relatives in the city the fore part of the week.

Joe Wolford of West Salem transacted business in town Thursday.

George Frederick of the Northwest Trade Journal made a brief business visit to Winona yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Thoreson and family of 721 South Fourteenth street left yesterday for St. Paul enroute to Montana, where they will reside in the future.

Hack calls promptly attended to. Phone 179 Gateway City Trfr. Line.

Mrs. O. I. Fritz and daughter Pearl, 115 South Seventeenth street, left Thursday night for a short visit with friends in Winona.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ott, 901 South Front street, a daughter, Miss Sadie McCann and Walter Woods will be united in marriage next Tuesday. Mr. Woods is now employed as chief engineer by the La Crosse Water Power company.

See the new wash goods in pretty crepes, mercerized poplins and flaxons at Tabbert's, 10th and Hood.

"Telulah" 5c cigar, made of the best quality and combination tobacco. Wholesale price, \$35 per thousand.

Charles Marx of this city is the guest of friends in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Wheeler of this city are visiting friends at St. Paul and Minneapolis this week.

R. B. Hoyt of Chasburg is the guest of friends in the city.

The Singer Darning is the greatest device of its kind for darning stockings, knitted underwear and so forth. It holds the stocking firmly so it can be darned at any point. Shown in use and for sale at Singer Store.

Thomas Ward of Mindoro has returned to his home after a short visit here.

L. Sterling of Viroqua was in the city yesterday for a brief visit.

Sam. Ferry of Soddard was the guest of friends here yesterday.

R. V. Bullis of Eau Claire was in the city yesterday on a brief business visit.

Morton Shirk of Viroqua was the guest of friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Branson and daughter have gone to Minneapolis for a visit with friends and relatives.

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Mr. Will Edin of Caledonia is visiting friends in this city.

C. E. Heath of Arcadia was in the city on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schams of this city visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Kreibich at Glencoe this week.

Miss Ida Verick of Norwalk is visiting friends in town this week.

George C. Curtis of Merrill, Wis., is spending Saturday and Sunday with friends in this city.

J. H. McKee of Chippewa Falls, Wis., is in La Crosse today on a business visit.

W. E. Sutter of Preston has returned to his home after a short visit with friends in this city.

C. H. Smith of Green Bay is in La Crosse today calling on friends.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well. O. T. Erhart.

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Princess cut Bread and Butter plates, 50c.

Princess cut Vase, 60c.

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SOCIETY

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The marriage of Miss Sadie McCann and Mr. Walter S. Woods will take place Tuesday evening at the home of the bride on French Island. Rev. John E. Ayscue, pastor of the First Baptist church, will officiate. Only relatives of the families of the contracting parties and a few friends will be present.

SURPRISE PARTY.

Miss Hattie Rochelt was very pleasantly surprised Thursday evening at her home, 1314 Johnson street, by a number of her friends. The evening was spent in playing games. Refreshments were served at 11 p. m. Those present were the Misses Mary Baranek, Alma Weimer, Mabel Anderson, Frances Thiel, Emma Witt, Hattie Rochelt, Elsie Witt, Martha Kolb, Clara Frey, Ida Wuench, Helen Zenker, Edna Rochelt, Emma Jackel, and Messrs. Eugene Haskins, Art Will, Ed Weimer, Jim Olson, Joe Weiss, Ed Erickson, Fred Ehrman, Wm. Zenker, Wm. Rochelt, Henry Frechhoff, Earl Brandenberg, Wm. Mertley.

ENTERTAIN FOR COUSIN

Miss Helen Major entertained a few of her friends Thursday evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Louise Jung, who is visiting here from Rice county, Kansas. The invited guests were: Misses Eleanor and Barbara Knothe, Selma Olson, Jeanette Moe, Edith Swarts, Vera Ferse, Bertha Limpert, Augusta Ender, Julia Olson, Isabella and Leila Major. The amusements of the evening were games, songs and recitations after which refreshments were served. All reported a good time.

LAUNCH RIDE

The Athletic Club of the Sixth District school was given a launch ride up river Monday, by Prof. Fowler. The athletes invited a few of the girls to join them. Games were played, after which a delicious luncheon was served. All had a very merry time. Those present were Misses Lennie Harmack, Margaret Bonadurer, Anna Keizer, Hazel Willey, Ella Crowley, Elise Pafflin, Winnifred Forbes, Jessie Limsoeth, Messrs. Emilie Justin, Alfred Metz, Roy Falk, Roy Betz, Russell Webb, Chas. Jahimiak, Miss McConville and Prof. and Mrs. Fowler chaperoned the party.

MRS. H. J. HIRSHHEIMER ENTERTAINS

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. H. J. Hirshheimer entertained a party of twenty-four ladies at a tea complimentary to Miss Schwerin of New York. The rooms were decorated with roses, carnations, tulips, sweet peas and violets. The round table in the dining room was centered with a beautiful basket of pink roses and carnations. The place cards were edged with a border of rose color. On small tables in the music room were sweet peas. The invited guests were Mesdames Walton Losey, W. H. Funke, Walter Robbins, James Hogan, Louis Hirshheimer, Horace Holley, the Misses Edna Tarbox, Holbrook, Edna Holbrook, Freda Michel, Anna Pamperin, Eleanor Funk, Aletta Rose, Dorset, Helen Dorset, Dora Marshall, Irma Berger, May Alice Smith, Forbes, Chadwick, Gallet, Emma Shumann, Benzel, Heckton, Rollins, Doherty, Emma Rohlfing and Miss Schwerin.

MRS. J. M. HIXON ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. J. M. Hixon entertained this afternoon eighteen ladies in honor of Mrs. E. J. Williams.

TRIP TO MEADOW BROOK.

A party consisting of Mrs. W. R. Finch, Mary Austin, Miss Frances Sill and Gertrude Hogan drove to Meadow Brook today.

MRS. VOIGHT ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. Chas. Voight entertained a number of ladies at her home on Sumner street, where she recently moved from the South side. Cards were played and lunch was served at 5 o'clock. The head prizes were won by Mrs. Joe Lapitz and Mrs. Oscar Lundgren, and the seconds by Mrs. W. F. Adams and Mrs. P. Panagan. Besides the prize winners were the Mesdames Joe McGrath, V. J. Woolsey, Joe Bartl, Otto Granky and Joe Eckhard.

MRS. T. H. SPENCE GIVES COFFEE

Mrs. Hoyt of New York, guest of Mrs. George Burton, was the guest of honor at a pleasant little coffee given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. T. H. Spence. Covers were laid for twelve. The rooms were decorated with roses and carnations. The guests were Mesdames Hoyt, G. W. Burton, G. M. Heath, Hiram Goddard, W. R. Montague, George Gordon, John Brindley, M. D. Allen, L. C. Colman, J. E. Wheeler, and Mrs. Wyckoff.

MRS. F. J. SMITH ENTERTAINS.

Last evening Mrs. F. J. Smith entertained two tables at cards. The rooms were fragrant with the odors of appleblossoms and wild flowers. The handsome mahogany table was covered with beautiful Cluny dillies. In an antique brass bowl was a large bunch of apple blossoms. Shooting stars and wild violets were conspicuous in the other rooms. The guests were Mesdames Van Steenwyk, Jacobus, Scott Smith, Evelyn Marston, the Misses Benzel, E. Rollins, Heckton, Doherty and Wheeler.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

The Ladies' Aid of the West Avenue M. E. church will meet at 2:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Oakes, 1334 Jackson street. The ladies will be entertained by Mrs. J. A. Keizer, Mrs. W. A. Lockman and Mrs. A. Oakes.

THE "ARMY" ENTERTAINS.

Last evening the "Army" consisting of a number of the young boys of the city entertained a number of the young girls at a marshmallow roast on the grounds between the

homes of Messrs. S. W. Anderson and F. J. Toland. A large camp fire was built, around which all gathered, while they toasted the delicious confections. Cake and fruit punch constituted the rest of the refreshments. The "Army" escorted their guests to their homes in good season, after which a number returned to camp and spent the night in tents. All were aroused at break of day by drum taps and blare of bugle. Not only was the "Army" called into action, but also were immediate neighbors, who sallied forth to see what could be the matter, being informed by Captain Holway that nothing serious was happening, then quickly retired to their downy couches. These affairs are of an annual occurrence and are looked forward to with great interest.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

The Ladies' Aid society of the English Lutheran church will meet on Wednesday afternoon.

The La Crosse Woman's club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. D. C. Bice, 1525 Kane street.

The Conservation class met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. W. R. Finch.

The Tuesday Afternoon Embroidery club met this week with Mrs. George Hauser.

RECITAL AT Y. M. C. A. HALL.

Monday evening, May 24, there will be a recital at the Y. M. C. A. hall, when the following program will be rendered by Mrs. Jessica Ross, reader, Mr. Harry A. Ross, violinist, and Prof. Harry Packman, pianist:

PART ONE.

Concerto, Op. 4—a. Andante; b. Finale—Mendelssohn.

Captain January, part one—The Rescue—Richards.

a. Grazioso—Tirendelli. b. To a Wild Rose—Maddow-Hartmann.

c. Bohemian Dance—Rendegger.

Captain January, part two—The Recognition—Richards.

PART TWO.

Captain January, part three—The Lie—Richards.

a. Serenade—Drdla. b. Oh, That We Two Were Maying—Nevin-Ross.

c. Hejre Kate—Hubay.

Captain January, part four—The Last Voyage—Richards.

Faust Fantasia—Wienawski.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

There will be no meeting at the Young Women's Christian association on Sunday afternoon.

On Tuesday and Friday evenings the gymnasium girls met for basketball. On Thursday evening a May entertainment will be given in the gymnasium at 8 o'clock. There will be music by the orchestra, a Japanese drill, reading by Miss Davis, May pole march and girls' march. Admission will be 15 cents. The proceeds will go toward sending delegates to Lake Geneva. Mrs. Gunderson, who is a member of the educational committee, has very kindly invited all the girls who have attended educational classes this year, and the teachers and educational committee to spend the evening with her at her home at 1231 Ferry street on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

It is hoped all who can will accept Mrs. Gunderson's invitation.

The association has received two rugs and some geraniums, which they gratefully acknowledge.

ORGAN RECITAL.

There will be an organ recital tomorrow afternoon at the First Congregational church at 4:30 at which Mrs. J. S. Lowe and Miss Florence Herman will assist. The recitals are well attended and are going to be quite popular. The following program will be rendered:

Sonata de Camera, op. 102.....A. L. Pierce

Allegro, Romanzo, Allegro Maestoso.....A. L. Pierce

(a) Andantino.....Caesar Frank

(b) Invocation.....Gullman

(c) Humoresque (by request).....Dvorak

Violin solo, Andante from 2nd.....De Beriot

Concerto.....Miss Florence Hermann

(a) Morgenstimmung.....Grieg

(b) Ases Tod.....Grieg

Song, The Ninety and Nine.....Champion

Mrs. J. S. Lowe.

(a) Romanza.....McDowell

(b) Daybreak.....Spinney

(c) The Ascension.....West

Allegro Symphonique.....Solime

SOCIETY BRIEFS.

Miss Eleanor Marston, who is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Thompson at Rockford, is receiving considerable attention in a social way as the following item taken from a Rockford paper would indicate:

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325 MAIN STREET.

Marston of La Crosse, who is a house guest at the N. F. Thompson home, was the dinner party at which Mr. and Mrs. John S. Barnes and Miss Adelaide Barnes entertained a company of thirty-six at the Country club last night. The guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. John S. Barnes, Miss Adelaide Barnes, Miss Marston and Mr. N. F. Thompson.

Mrs. D. P. Smith has returned from Minneapolis, where she spent several weeks. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Delprat of Tacoma.

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YEOMEN TO SPEND SOCIAL EVENING

The next regular meeting of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen will be held Thursday evening. Only the necessary business will be transacted, after which the entire evening will be devoted to social entertainment. It is expected that the usual large attendance will be present. Over forty applications have already been secured by deputies Mr. and Mrs. Lee for the class which will be taken in on the evening of June 3.

Rownea Circle.

Rownea circle, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, will hold their regular meeting in Nicholson-Scott hall Tuesday afternoon. After the business session the members will learn to play the game of five hundred. Refreshments will be served by the committee in charge at half after four. The usual large attendance is expected to be present.

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SMITH FIRE LOSS IS ABOUT \$25,000

Only \$11,000 Insurance is Carried on Valuable Seasoned Lumber Burned

The fire at the Smith Manufacturing company yesterday was even more disastrous than was at first reported. The hardwood lumber which burned was very valuable and Burt C. Smith, secretary of the concern, states that the total loss is between \$20,000 and \$25,000 and that there was about \$11,000 worth of insurance on the stock so that the net loss of the concern will be between \$11,000 and \$15,000.

No material damage was done to the factory other than the loss of lumber, as the business of the company will not be delayed to any extent. There is another lumber yard in the Northwestern yards and there will be plenty of material on hand to fill the orders that are coming in from time to time.

A couple of firemen are still at work pouring water upon the ruins which are still smoldering. How the fire originated is still a mystery and as yet no reasonable explanation has been offered.

How rude, impolite people are roasted behind their backs. And what people say of you behind your back is your standing in the community in which you live.

ONE IN THREE
Every Third Person Poisoned by Coffee.

It is difficult to make people believe that coffee is an absolute poison to at least one person out of every three, but people are slowly finding it out, although thousands of them suffer terribly before they discover the fact. A New York hotel man says:

"Each time after drinking coffee I became restless, nervous and excited, so that I was unable to sit five minutes in one place, was also inclined to vomit and suffered from loss of sleep, which got worse and worse."

"A lady said that perhaps coffee was the cause of my trouble, and suggested that I try Postum. I laughed at the thought that coffee hurt me, but she insisted so hard that I finally had some Postum made. I have been using it in place of coffee ever since, for I noticed that all my former nervousness and irritation disappeared. I began to sleep perfectly, and the Postum tasted as good or better than the old coffee, so what was the use of sticking to a beverage that was ruining me?"

"One day on an excursion up the country I remarked to a young lady friend on her greatly improved appearance. She explained that some time before she had quit using coffee and taken Postum."

"She had gained a number of pounds and her former palpitation of the heart, humming in the ears, trembling of the hands and legs and other disagreeable feelings had disappeared."

"She recommended me to quit coffee and take Postum and was very much surprised to find that I had already made the change."

"She said her brother had also received great benefits from leaving off coffee and taking on Postum."

"There's a Reason."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.
Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SPECIAL ELECTION WILL BE ORDERED

City Attorney Doherty Says Under Special Charter New Law Does Not Interfere

"Unless the council decides to pass an ordinance adopting that portion of the general charter which provides that vacancies for aldermen shall be filled in April, the election of aldermen for the Eleventh and Twelfth wards will probably be held as was anticipated," said City Attorney John F. Doherty this morning.

"The city of La Crosse is under a special charter and our ordinance provides that an election be held to fill all vacancies that occur six months previous to the general election, so as soon as the council decides to hold an election the vacancy will be filled."

"Alderman Bartl will probably not move from the ward until some time in July and it is probable that both elections will be held at the same time in order to lessen the expense. This will undoubtedly put the election in August or September."

At the present time the council is largely made up of democrats so the impending change will have no effect whatever upon the policies of that body.

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MAJESTIC THEATRE CO. INCORPORATED

Articles of incorporation were filed with the register of deeds today of the New Majestic Theatre company of this city.

The company is formed for the purpose of producing all sorts of plays, shows and attractions, and to erect, maintain or purchase theatre buildings or music halls.

It is capitalized at \$5,000, the incorporators being W. W. Cargill, Frank Koppelman, W. R. Hyde, and Manuel Rosenstein.

AMATEUR GAME.
The team from the St. Wenceslaus school defeated the team from the Holy Cross school this morning by a score of 14 to 7. The batteries—E. Kabat and F. Kabat; Kubinsky and Shimshack.

SEVENTH DISTRICT CAPTURES HONORS

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for third place. Height, 8 feet 6 in. Broad jump—Bedsden, First district, first; Tetley, First district, second; Marshall, Seventh district, third. Distance 17 feet 1 inch.

300 yard dash—Klow, Seventh district, first; Harris, Second district, second; Gardner, First district, third. Time 34.4-5 seconds.

Shot put—Folk, Sixths district, first; Main, Second district, second; Wiles, Seventh district, third.

High jump—Justin, Seventh district, first; Dornback, Second district, second; Rochelt, Sixth district, third. Height, 4 feet 11 inches.

Standing broad jump—Zeisler, First district, first; Justin, Sixth district, second; Betz, Sixth district, third. Distance, 8 feet 6 inches.

Relay won by Seventh district with the following men: Klow, Marshall, Nelson, Fackler, Rassmussen and Wiles.

Score—Seventh district, 22 points; Sixth, 18 points; First, 17 points; Second, 15 points.

The boy winning first place was awarded five points, second place three, third, one point.

CAN GET THEM IN THE OPEN SEASON

MADISON, Wis., May 22.—(Special.)—While holding that members of the assembly have legal justification for ignoring the senate investigating committee's subpoenas until fifteen days after the end of the session, Attorney General Frank L. Gilbert gives the opinion that at the expiration of their legislative privileges the lower house members are on a plane with other persons and must obey the committee's commands to appear before the investigation.

"I therefore conclude," said the attorney general in closing his opinion, "that no member of the legislature is, with the possible exception of an investigation into the qualifications of its own members by either house, during the session, subject to the subpoena of any committee. After the expiration of the privilege such members would, of course, be on an equal footing with all other persons and should a committee be authorized to extend its investigation and hold a session after the adjournment of the legislature, such members thereof whose testimony might be desired could be lawfully subpoenaed and examined."

The opinion of Mr. Gilbert is given in response to a request from Senator S. M. Marsh, chairman of the committee and follows closely the belief held prior to its issuance.

In an opinion to C. M. Gillett, university editor, Mr. Gilbert answers the question as to whether the author of a university bulletin published at state expense, has the right to copyright his work. The attorney general construes the law to mean that such action would be without authority and "would be in conflict with the spirit of the law."

Good Time?

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CALVERT HAD THE FIGURES FOR HIM

Mr. Cowles Declares Secretary Most Prepared Man He Has Found in the River Cities

R. Calvert, secretary of the Manufacturers' and Jobbers' union, was complimented today upon his proficiency as a statistician, by W. E. Cowles of Minneapolis, who as announced yesterday is collecting data concerning the amount of produce used in La Crosse that might be brought here by water, were river traffic re-established. Mr. Cowles has investigated this subject in a number of cities, and Mr. Calvert was able to furnish him from his private record, within a few minutes, information which it has taken days to collect in other cities.

As Mr. Cowles must report his findings to the government, he could make no statement as to the extent of the tonnage used in La Crosse that might come by way of the river. It is said by others, however, that at a conservative estimate the saving in freight on the coal alone that is used in La Crosse would be \$20,000 a year for this city.

Mr. Cowles was assisted in his investigation by Secretary John Utermoehle of the board of trade. He is optimistic regarding the possibility of inducing the government to connect the St. Croix river with Lake Superior, thus making a direct waterway from Duluth and Superior to towns along the Mississippi.

DELEGATES GO TO DUBUQUE MONDAY

Ten members of the German Methodist church of the South side and a number from Rev. Witter's church on the North side, will attend the district convention of the Epworth league of the German Methodist church which will be in session at Dubuque Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Those from the South side who will attend are: Rev. J. L. Panzau, Rev. Brandenburg, the district superintendent; Miss Kate Baumann; Mrs. Paul Schulze, Mrs. William Thiele, Mrs. Emil Starch, Mrs. E. G. Burnett, Miss Martha Loeffler, Otto W. Muenster and Fred Miller. Rev. Witter of the North side will attend with a delegation of his church.

"KING ALL GLORIOUS" AT CHRIST CHURCH

The choir of the Episcopal church of Christ church will on Sunday morning render the celebrated anthem, "King All Glorious." This work, which has not been previously heard in La Crosse, is the masterpiece of Joseph Barnby, one of England's foremost cathedral composers. It consists of a chorus in six parts, with soprano and bass solos, rendered respectively by Miss Ida Aiken and Mr. E. O. Forseth. All lovers of music should not fail to come and hear this noble work.

ESCH TO LEAVE FOR GETTYSBURG

Congressman John J. Esch of this city will leave Wednesday evening for Gettysburg, where he will conduct the regular Memorial address Saturday. Mr. Esch has been invited to be the guest of the city until the exercises are concluded on Monday by President Taft, who will dedicate the ground to the regular soldiers of the rebellion.

The congressman expects to arrive at Washington a week from Tuesday.

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COMMISSION FORM LOSES IN DEBATE

Lincoln-Douglas Society Is Victorious in Annual Joint Meeting Last Night

In the annual debate of the Wendell Phillips and Lincoln Douglas debating societies of the high school held last evening, the older society, the Lincoln Douglas, was victorious by a 2 to 1 decision. The question as stated was "Resolved, that a commission form of government should be adopted in La Crosse. The affirmative was represented by Stevenson, Schlach and Swennes of the Wendell Phillips, the negative by Mabie, Gelatt and Runge of the Lincoln Douglas. The debate was very well argued and showed that all the boys were well acquainted with the subject. John Brindley, R. S. Steadwell and Dr. Evans acted as judges.

The joint meeting closed the program of the societies for the year and to close the semester a launch ride will be given next Saturday and a week from next Saturday the annual banquet will take place in the parlors of the Congregational church. The societies will then adjourn until the fall term of school begins.

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STONE SHOWS CHRIS COLUMBUS SLOW

CHICAGO, May 22.—Proof that Christopher Columbus was 130 years late when he announced to the world the discovery of America has just been announced.

Columbus was beaten by eight Goths and 22 Norsemen, who explored as far north and west as Kensington, Minn., in 1362. A big rock inscribed with Runic letters has been found near Kensington and it has just been presented as a historical discovery at a meeting of the German American Historical society. Hjalmar Holand, who owns the rock, said it was discovered by settlers in Douglas county, Minn. He translates freely the inscription as follows:

"Eight Goths and 22 Norsemen upon a voyage of discovery from Vinland westward. We had a camp by two skerries one day's journey north from this stone. We were fishing one day. When we returned we found ten men red with blood and dead. Save us from evil. We have ten men by the sea to look after our vessel, 41 days from this island. Year 1362."

Holand says the stone was found 11 years ago.

NEW STAMP ISSUE FOR SEATTLE EXPO

A new postage stamp, the Alaskan, is to be issued about June 1st by the postoffice department at Washington, to commemorate the development of the Alaska-Yukon territory, or in other words, the Seattle exposition.

This stamp will be red and issued only in the two-cent denomination, and will be a little larger than the present two-cent issue. It will bear the portrait of William H. Seward, who as secretary of state, conducted the negotiations which resulted in the purchase of Alaska from Russia. The stamp will be inscribed with the words, "Alaska Yukon Pacific, 1909."

BARNUM CIRCUS TO COME TO LA CROSSE

The Barnum and Bailey circus, "The Greatest Show on Earth," will be seen here the coming summer, but as yet the date for the attraction has not been decided. The advance agent of the circus is in the city making arrangements.

The Hagenback-Wallace shows will also be here this season, thus giving the people of La Crosse an opportunity of seeing two of the best shows on the road.



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ROBERTS IS ANGRY AT BONNER CHARGES

Accusation of Extravagance Is Resented but Underpaid Pastors Look on Matter as Serious

DENVER, Colo., May 22.—Charges printed in the Presbyterian Banner, the official organ, that extravagance had been practiced by the administrative officers of the assembly, are regarded by Rev. Dr. Wm. H. Roberts, clerk of the Presbyterian general assembly, as personal. The banner pointed out that, 25 years ago, the expenses of the stated clerk and treasurer were only \$719. The present expenses are \$11,546, the banner says.

Ministers throughout the country who are on salaries of \$400 a year are angry over the situation as revealed in the banner and it is expected they will wage their campaign when the report on ministerial relief comes up.

A number of resolutions were introduced today. One urges the appointment of a committee to consider the application of the gospel to the "acquisition and use of wealth, the relations between employer and employee, and capital and labor, and to unnecessary poverty."

Another resolution, which has the support of a strong faction of the assembly, provides for triennial instead of annual meetings.

A report of the evangelist committee was adopted unanimously. It provides for the appointment of a committee of 12 ministers and 12 laymen to promote the evangelistic work of the church and calls for "an untiring, aggressive campaign of soul winning during the coming year."

Chas. S. Holt, of Chicago, a layman, was appointed vice-moderator and Rev. Wm. H. Roberts, of Philadelphia, entered upon his 26th year as stated clerk of the assembly.

CRANK RUNS AMUCK WITH TROLLEY CAR

MIAMISBURG, O., May 22.—The police today are guarding a crazy carpenter, who endangered the lives of a score of passengers on a trolley car last night when he went suddenly insane. The maniac, Thomas Hippie, boarded the car while it was standing at the end of its run and quickly turned on the power. Motorman Wiedener, who leaped to stop him, was felled with the controller bar and Conductor Thesis met the same fate. With the car running at full speed and the passengers in a panic Hippie fought the men in the car until he had taken the power switch. Then he took his stand in the smoking compartment and bombarded the rest of the car with cuspidors until Claim Agent John Clark, of the road, grappled with him, and although badly slashed by the crazy man's knife, hung on until half a dozen others came to his aid and Hippie was overpowered.

NIGHT RIDERS WAR ON IN NICARAGUA

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 22.—Dispatches from Bluefields, Nicaragua, say banana plantations have been laid waste by night riders in the last three nights near there, and the people today are awaiting news of a revolution led by night riders. The attacks are being directed against the Bluefields Fruit company. Seven American and Mexican warships are in this vicinity. The greater part of the Nicaraguan forces are already in the field and more than 5,000 men are assembled on the Honduran frontier, while smaller forces are stationed in other parts. A large army is being mobilized by General Aurelio Estrada.

OPEN WOODBINE SEASON

TORONTO, Ont., May 22.—Today will usher in the northern circuit racing season of the Ontario Jockey club at Woodbine track.

Great interest centers on the running of the king's Plate at a mile and a quarter, in which ten horses are scheduled to start.

COUNTERFEIT CAR CHECKS

CLEVELAND, O., May 22.—The latest affliction of the much troubled Cleveland street car lines is counterfeit tickets.

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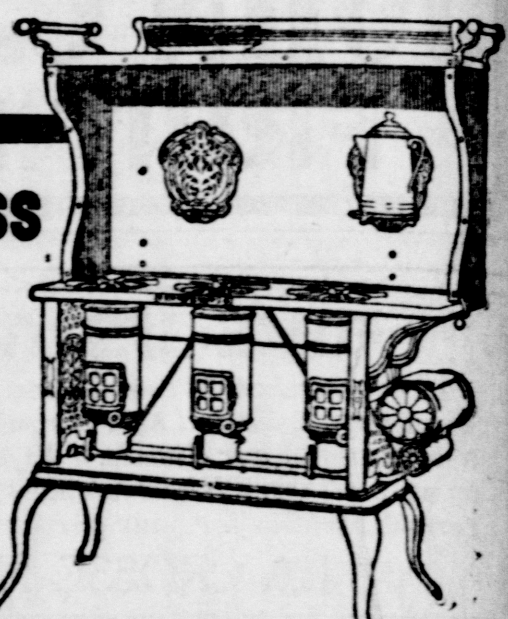
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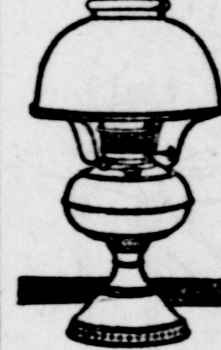
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MR. SHEA BRUTALLY STABS PRETTY GIRL

NEW YORK, May 22.—Cornelius P. Shea, former president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, whose conduct of the famous Chicago strike caused much unsavory comment, was remanded to jail without bail today to await the result of 24 stab wounds in the face and neck of pretty Alice Walsh, a Chicago girl, with whom it is alleged he had been living in New York.

Notwithstanding the seriousness of the girl's wounds, there is a chance for her recovery and no formal charge has as yet been made against Shea.

GREET MISSISSIPPI.
NATCHEZ, Miss., May 22.—The entire town turned out in holiday dress in honor of the ceremonies attending the presentation of the silver service to the officers and men of the battleship Mississippi here today.

In presenting a silver service to the officers in the Grand theater, John Sharpe Williams said:

"When you meet an enemy, and we hope you may never need to meet one, sink her and then quaff from these cups a toast to victory. If she sinks you, as has happened to many a brave ship, well-handled, then, for the honor of the sweet women of Natchez, let these modest pieces of silver go down with the ship and not become enemy's booty."

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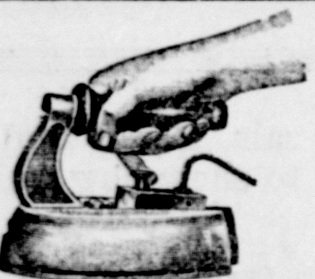
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BOY 15 GIRL 14 IN WEDDING ROMANCE

FREMONT, O., May 22.—The disappearance of Elsie Griggs, 14, from her home at Clyde, O., was explained today by a letter from the girl to her parents stating she had eloped to Windsor, Ont., with Cecil Mears, 15. Mears formerly lived at Clyde but is now working at Detroit and the couple live there. The newlyweds have secured parental forgiveness.

It is a lesson that one of them has to learn: If the wife doesn't look more patient five years after marriage the husband does.

LIES DOWN WITH A STICK OF DYNAMITE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 22. — Despondent because he was old and was unable to find work, Louis Berg, 65, a laborer, laid down on the ground in a quarry near Glenview yesterday afternoon and placed a stick of dynamite under his neck with the fuse afire. The explosion which followed was heard by an employee at the quarry who found the mangled body. An investigation will be made by the coroner today.

Blobs—I believe that all luxuries should be taxed. Slobbs—Then I suppose you are in favor of a tax on bachelors.

GUIDED BY DREAM TO LOST DIAMOND

PLATTE, S. D., May 22. — Though he was extremely skeptical regarding his dream, vivid as it was, Frank Delire, a leading business man of Platte, ridiculing himself as he dumped out the contents of a barrel of debris in the rear of his store, sought among the sweepings that had accumulated, until he found a valuable diamond he had lost. In his dream he saw the jewel swept from the floor and thrown into the barrel.

TRAP WHITE SLAVE PREY IN BIG STORES

Wicked Procurers Allowed to Infest Waiting Rooms Although Hunting for Their Victims

COURT COMMITTEE REPORT

New Phase of Vicious Trade Disclosed Showing Women Who Betray Their Sisters Numerous

CHICAGO, May 21.—Startling arraignment of the big department stores of Chicago for the recruiting for white slavery in their waiting rooms it contained in a report of the juvenile court committee as result of careful investigation covering several weeks. Conditions are found so bad that a free employment bureau for girls and women has been opened where they may escape their tempters when their empty purses make temptations strong.

The report declares women are among the worst offenders against their sex and throws a new light upon the pitfalls spread for needy girls in big cities. The report transmitted to the committee appointed by the Woman's World to conduct its systematic campaign against the white slave traffic stated that investigation was confined to the nine largest department stores, that during the investigation sixteen arrests were made—fifteen men and one woman—and all sixteen convicted.

"The first thing which was noted during the visits," the report declares, "was that the waiting rooms in the stores—particularly those which were large and comfortable—were being used by a number of unemployed girls. In one of the waiting rooms at one particular time there were seen forty-eight girls ranging in age from fourteen to twenty. A large number of these girls seemed to be continually studying the want ad columns of the newspapers. Many girls were there alone and spent the entire day without food.

"In all of the big waiting rooms there was a constant stream of men, particularly before we were very well known, who seemed to be always looking for someone. All sorts of schemes were used by them to get girls into conversation. A very common way of starting was to offer a girl a newspaper. When you know that many girls come to these rooms without even a penny with which to buy a paper, and sit and wait in the home that some one will be forgetful enough to leave a paper which will tell where to find work, one can easily see how effective this method of starting acquaintance is.

"It frequently happened that two men came together, or even three. As we learned after a time, the men who were making a business, that is, the professionals, usually went in this way in order to better protect themselves. These men were usually of the flashy dressed type and not infrequently affected the college boy style of dress. Often the pal of the 'smart boy' was of the demure sort—the kind that was just being initiated. However, when these men were tried in court, it was usually discovered that the demure one had the longest police record.

"By far the most difficult procurer to catch was the girl or woman procurer. Only one woman of this type were we able to capture."

A Girl's Downfall
To illustrate the work of the women procurers the case is cited of a young girl of 16, very beautiful and well developed, who was discovered by a Minnie Jackson, a patron of the store who seemed to have plenty of money and flattered the girl by invitations to lunch, to the theater and finally to lunch with a young man, a "swell." Then the report concludes: "Three months after Margaret first met the Oak Park swell Inspector McCann of Desplaines Street station took her from a disreputable house at 58 Carpenter street. All effort was made by Judge Wells, Inspector McCann and myself to get her away from her new friends. We were successful.

"After watching these stores for days at a time, the following conclusions have been reached: "1st.—The waiting rooms of the large stores furnish an opportunity for the procurers to ply their trade and this opportunity is not being neglected.

"2nd.—Girls are frequently taken from among the clerks, but as they are better protected, at least in the majority of the stores, by managers through co-operation of their floor walkers, this is probably less often done.

"3rd.—Any large public waiting room, as for example, the railway station waiting room, is probably used for the same purpose as the store waiting room by the girls out of employment, and these girls are subject to the same risk."

NO RAISE FOR TRACY

MADISON, Wis., May 22.—Although no oil inspection bill is to be passed at this session of the legislature abolishing Ed Tracy's department, it is stated that there is no chance for passage of the measure to raise Mr. Tracy's salary. It is understood that while no report on the bill has been given, the joint committee will vote against the bill. The chief inspector, Mr. Tracy, has been in Madison several times of late working for a favorable report but so far has not succeeded in getting any assurance that his pay will be raised.

BURNING ECZEMA QUICKLY SPREAD

Started Like Ringworm on Hand—Hand Swelled and Then Humor Spread to Arms, Legs and Face—It Was Something Terrible.

PRESCRIPTIONS FAILED: CUTICURA CURED HIM

"I have used the Cuticura Remedies for a very bad case of eczema with complete success. About fifteen or eighteen years ago the disease developed in the shape of a large pinhead on top of my hand. It burned and itched so much that I was compelled to show it to a doctor. He pronounced it ringworm, and made very light of it. He gave me a wash and told me to apply it before going to bed and all would be over in the morning. But the next morning my hand was all swollen up and I poulticed it. When the doctor came to his office I showed him the hand and to my surprise he told me that he had never experienced such a case in his practice and said it was well I poulticed it. After trying his different remedies the disease increased and went up my arms and finally to my thighs and legs generally and finally on my face. The burning was something terrible. After I had tried this doctor, as I thought, long enough, I went to another doctor who had the reputation of being the best in town. He told me it was a bad case of eczema and that it would take quite a while to cure it. His medicine checked the advance of the disease but no further.

"I finally concluded to try the Cuticura Remedies. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and found relief in the first trial. I continued until I was completely free from the disease and I have not been troubled with another attack since. I still use the Cuticura Ointment in my family as it is one of the best remedies to heal a sore or other injury rapidly. I can freely and truthfully say that the Cuticura Remedies are the best so far as my experience went with them and I am still recommending them, feeling sure I am not making a mistake. C. Burkhardt, 236 W. Market St., Chambersburg, Pa., Sept. 19, 1905."

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Form of Itch, Eczema, and All Skin Diseases. Cuticura Soap (25c) to cleanse the skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c) to soothe the skin and Cuticura Resolvent (50c), for in the form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c per box, to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. "See Mailed Free, Cuticura Book on Skin Diseases."

INSURANCE FOLK SEEKING RELIEF

MADISON, Wis., May 22.—Definite steps toward a compromise on the insurance taxation question were reached in the legislature this week, when the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company of Milwaukee submitted to the joint committee on taxation a bill changing the form of insurance taxation in this state. The bill has the following three distinct propositions:

1. A tax the coming year of 10 per cent on the proceeds of the company.

2. The annual reduction of this tax until it reaches a minimum amount of 2 per cent of Wisconsin premiums.

3. A tax on premiums collected in Wisconsin by foreign life insurance companies of 1 per cent.

Just how the committee on taxation stand on the bill cannot be ascertained, although it is understood there will be a divided report on the measure and that it will come to the floor next week, where the question will be fought bitterly. The bill in its present form would reduce the present income derived by the state from the Northwestern Life as far as 1910 is concerned, but a small amount; but after that year the income would continue to grow smaller, until it reached one-fifth of its present rate.

The opposition to the bill will be most bitter, headed by those who still believe in the system of taxation devised by the investigating committee of 1906, and which caused twenty-one companies to withdraw from the state rather than pay the increased taxes and allow the state closer espionage over their methods.

PROBATE VIG ESTATE.

Application was made Friday for the admission to probate and appointment of an administrator in the estate of Martin Olson Vig, deceased. The estate is appraised at something over \$1,500, part of which is a life insurance policy. The petition was made by Ole Fredrickson of Pigeon, Trempealeau county, a nephew of the deceased.

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PHYSICAL WRECKS ON EXHIBITION

Novel Contest to be Pulled Off by Seniors at University of Minn.; Bonafide Wrecks Eligible

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 22.—A track meet in which only bonafide physical wrecks are eligible to take part is the latest idea at the university of Minnesota. A committee has been appointed to pass on all who enter for any event. Only seniors will be eligible to compete. Anyone who has ever trained previously for any track meet will be barred. To every smoker tobacco will be furnished by the committee and each athlete must smoke a pipe between events. Leather medals will be given to the takers of first places. The senior who makes the poorest showing will be declared the best physical wreck.

YOUNG MEN WANTED

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Without any previous experience, any young man of ordinary education can become a trained salesman in six weeks.

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Mosie was a typhoid convalescent. He had been in the hospital seven weeks, but in all that time no one had succeeded in winning even the faintest smile from the little fellow. Perhaps the sorrows of Russia were still too vivid a memory.

An then one day the nurse tickled him playfully under the chin. He looked up with a pitiful little smile.

"Oh, so you are ticklish," said the nurse, laughing.

"No, ma'am," he replied, the smile instantly vanishing. "I'm Yiddish."

—Everybody's Magazine.

GENERAL WOOD TO SUCCEED GEN. BELL

MAJ. GEN. BELL



GEN. LEONARD WOOD

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—The next 12 months promise to be memorable for the many important changes in the army. Many of these changes will occur in the regular course of events, and may be discounted, but others are still somewhat unsettled and consequently open to speculation.

Prominent among the things that are settled is that Major General Leonard Wood, now in command of the military department of the east, with headquarters at Governors Island, N. Y., will be the next chief of staff of the army. General Wood will succeed Major General J. Franklin Bell, whose reappointment to his present office was announced immediately after the inauguration of the new administration. General Bell, however, has decided to remain here but a few months, and before next spring he will be transferred to Manila, where he will have command of the troops stationed in the Philippines.

Smile today and smile tomorrow—smile and drive away your sorrow. Fling away all thoughts of sadness and drink the drink that brings you gladness.

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NELSON'S RECORD BREAKING MAY SALE

Lace Curtains and Curtain Goods

We've smashed all previous records so far for May in our Curtain Department. Even if we did not sell another curtain our May total would be splendid but we're going to sell more—hundreds more. These prices are not to be equalled in La Crosse, and the people know it for the people know when we advertise bargains we back up our ads with the merchandise.

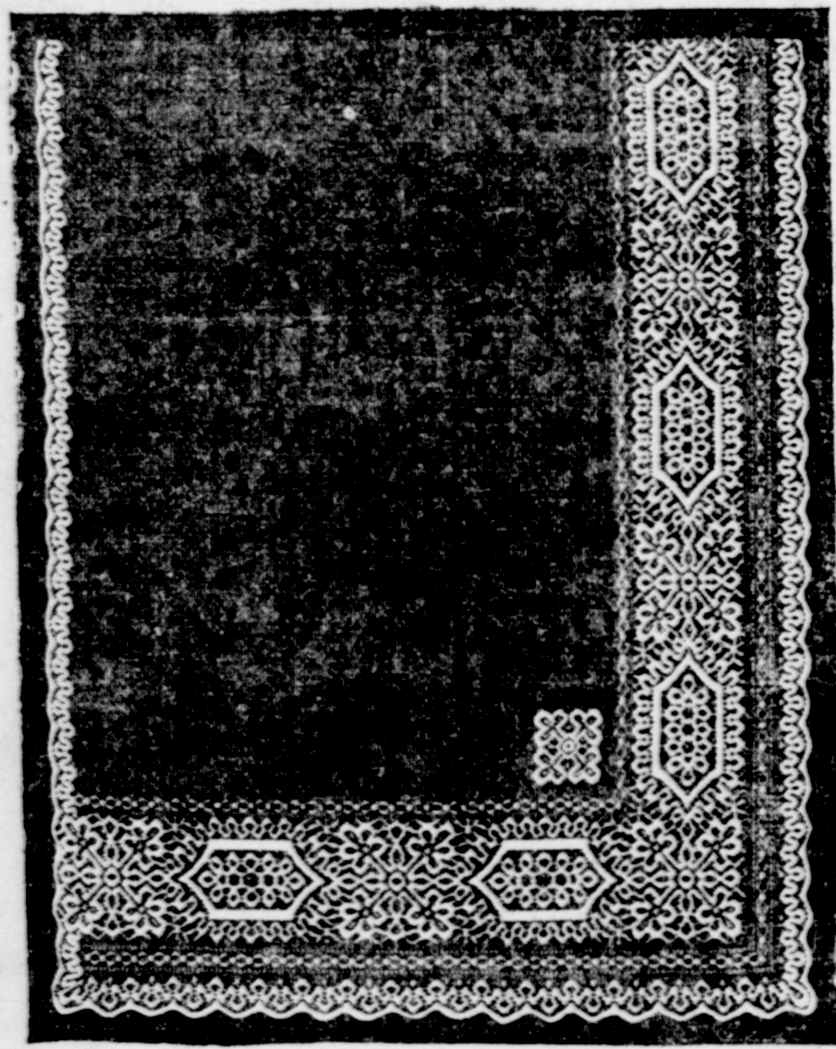
Lace Curtains

\$1.25	Curtains per pair	98c
\$1.50	Curtains per pair	\$1.15
\$1.75	Curtains per pair	\$1.38
\$2.00	Curtains per pair	\$1.60
\$2.50	Curtains per pair	\$1.90
\$3.00	Curtains per pair	\$2.40
\$3.50	Curtains per pair	\$2.80
\$4.00	Curtains per pair	\$3.20
\$4.50	Curtains per pair	\$3.60
\$5.00	Curtains per pair	\$4.00
\$6.00	Curtains per pair	\$4.80
\$7.00	Curtains per pair	\$5.60
\$8.00	Curtains per pair	\$6.40

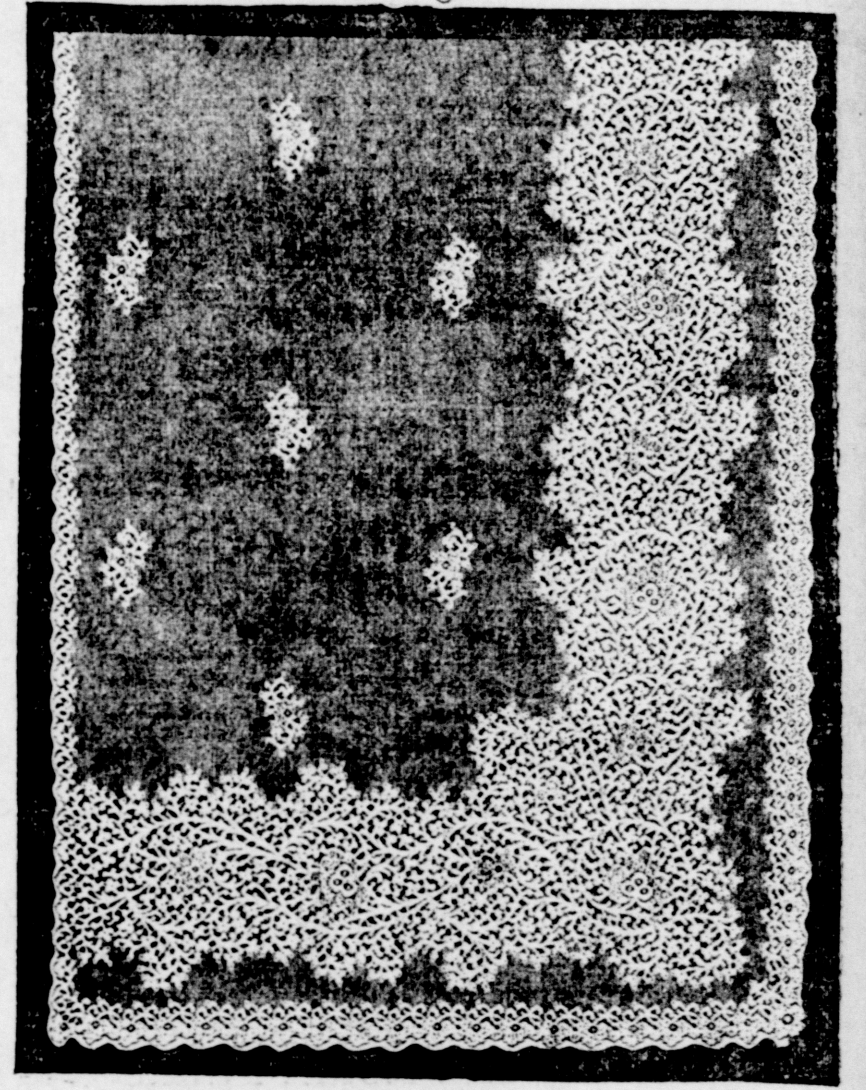
Curtain Goods

In our former sales we limited the cut prices to lace curtains ready to put up. Now we include all of our immense stock of piece goods, the largest stock ever shown in La Crosse, also

All \$1	Curtain goods, per yard	82c
All 90c	Curtain goods per yard	75c
All 80c	Curtain goods per yard	69c
All 75c	Curtain goods per yard	63c
All 65c	Curtain goods per yard	55c
All 50c	Curtain goods per yard	39c
All 40c	Curtain goods per yard	30c
All 35c	Curtain goods per yard	29c
All 30c	Curtain goods per yard	23c
All 25c	Curtain goods per yard	21c
All 20c	Curtain goods per yard	16c
All 18c	Curtain goods per yard	15c
All 15c	Curtain goods per yard	12c



No. 17130. White Lace Curtain.
54 inches wide, 3 yards long. Finished edge.
Regular \$2.00 value.
Special per pair **\$1.35**



No. 1447. White Lace Curtain.
54 inches wide, three yards long. Finished edge.
15c Heavy scroll border. Regular \$2.50.
Special per pair **\$1.90**

HIT—AND—MISS BARGAINS

Here's a list of 50 bargains picked at random from our entire stock and priced especially low to swell the crowds at our sale. You'll find most anything you want in this list at a real bargain. There's a good sized piece sliced off from every price. These bargains are listed just to show how well you can do at Nelson's.

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DINING TABLES

No. 335½—1 round top mission dining table, 48 in. top, 8 ft. extension, regular price \$25.00, sale price **\$19.50**
No. 368—1 round top mission dining table, 48 in. top, 8 ft. extension, regular price \$27.50, sale price **\$21.50**
No. 461—1 golden quartersawed oak 48 in. top, 8 ft. extension, clawfoot, regular price \$37.50, sale price **\$29.50**
No. 49½—1 square top, 42 in. sq. top, golden top, 5 3-in. legs, 8 ft. extension, regular price \$14.00, sale price **\$9.50**
No. 610½—1 round top, 42 in. top, imitation quartersawed oak, pedestal base, regular price \$11.50, sale price **\$9.25**

CHIFFONNIERS

No. 201—1 chiffonier, golden oak, 5 drawers, with plate glass 13 in. by 19, regular price \$11.00, sale price **\$8.25**
No. 22X—1 chiffonier, golden oak, 5 drawers, regular price \$8.00, sale price **\$6.00**
No. 505—1 genuine quartersawed oak chiffonier, 4 large and 2 small drawers, 36 in. wide, 29x22 in. plate glass, fine swell serpentine front, regular price \$22.50, sale price **\$17.50**

No. 3152—1 birdseye maple chiffonier, swell front, 5 drawers 32½ in. wide, glass 20x15 in., regular price \$21.50, sale price **\$16.50**

WRITING DESKS

No. 300—1 ladies' golden oak quartersawed oak writing desk, regular price \$12.00, sale price **\$9.50**
No. 402½—1 ladies' mission writing desk, regular price \$13.50, sale price **\$10.50**
No. 232—1 ladies' mahogany writing desk, regular price \$22.50, sale price **\$17.50**

BOOK CASES

No. 8—1 combination book case and writing desk, regular price \$15.00, sale price **\$11.00**
1 sectional book case, 4 compartments, regular price \$22.50, sale price **\$18.00**

SIDEBOARDS

No. 415—1 G. O. quartersawed oak sideboard, regular price \$25.00, sale price **\$19.50**
No. 766—1 Golden oak quartersawed oak sideboard, regular price \$29.50, sale price **\$22.50**

CHINA CLOSETS

No. 568—1 china closet, extra wide, golden oak, quartersawed, regular price \$37.50, sale price **\$29.50**
No. 888—1 china closet, 34 in. wide, quarter oak, regular price \$17.00, sale price **\$13.50**

BUFFETS
No. 227—1 buffet, golden oak quartersawed, leaded glass doors, regular price \$28.00, sale price **\$19.50**
No. 609—1 buffet, golden oak quartersawed, canopy top, leaded glass doors, regular price \$40.00, sale price **\$28.50**

BED ROOM SETS

555—Bedroom Set; dresser with mirror 32x24; full swell serpentine front. The bed is 72 in. high, heavy roll edge. A \$55 value; marked our regular price \$45; sale price **\$38.50**
313—1 Bed Room Set, golden oak, full swell serpentine front dresser, glass 24x30. Bed 72 in. high and heavy roll edge. Regular price \$37.50, sale price **\$31.50**

BRASS AND IRON BEDS

949—1 Brass Bed, 2 inch post, with 5-8 inch fillers; regular price \$45; sale price **\$38.50**
6030½—1 Brass 2 inch post Bed, 7 ½ in. spindles; heavy brass vases. Value regular price \$30; sale price **\$25.00**
1925—1 Steel Verni Martin finish Bed, 2 in. post; regular price \$18; sale price **\$14.50**
774—1 Steel Verni Martin Bed, 2 in. post; regular price \$20; sale price **\$16.00**

1 Verni Martin Bed with brass rail foot and head and large vases; regular price \$6.50; sale price **\$5.00**

WARDROBES

102—1 Large Golden Oak Wardrobe, regular price \$13; sale price **\$10.00**
12—1 Large Golden Oak Wardrobe; regular price \$13.50; sale price **\$10.50**

DINING CHAIRS

5067—6 Full Leather Seat Dinners, quarter oak, \$3.25 each set. Regular price \$19.50; sale price **\$18.00**

853 L. 26—6 Slip Seat Leather Dinners, quarter oak, claw feet; \$5.50 each or per set regular price \$33.00; sale price **\$29.50**

1223—6 Dinners, quarter oak, veneered seat; \$2.25 each, set regular price \$13.50; sale price **\$11.50**

1250—6 Dinners, solid oak seats, \$2.00 each, set regular price \$12; sale price **\$10.00**

ROCKERS, MORRIS CHAIRS.
436½—1 Morris Rocker, chased leather cushion, very fine; regular price 16.50; sale price **\$13.50**

904—1 Morris Chair, velour covered, loose cushions; regular price \$12; sale price **\$9.50**

Royal—1 Chase Leather Morris Chair, plush button; regular price \$11.50; sale price **\$9.00**

8890—1 Easy Rocker, mahogany finish, covered with No. 1 green leather, large claw feet; regular price, \$27.00; sale price **\$21.00**

9118—1 Leather Turkish Rocker, regular price, \$30.00; sale price **\$19.50**

481—1 Golden Oak Rocker, leather covered and tufted; regular price \$24; sale price **\$18.00**

116 E—1 Golden Oak Rocker, leather seat and back; regular price \$18; sale price **\$13.50**

CUPBOARDS

69—1 Cupboard, golden oak, wood panel doors; regular price, \$8.50; sale price **\$7.00**

70—1 Cupboard, golden oak, glass doors, 2 drawers; regular price \$11; sale price **\$8.50**

71—1 Cupboard, glass doors, extra large; regular price, \$15; sale price **\$12.00**

DRESSERS

48—1 Dresser, golden oak, glass 18x20; regular price \$10.00; sale price **\$7.00**

49—1 Dresser, golden elm, glass 18x20; regular price \$9.00; sale price **\$6.00**

KITCHEN CABINETS

No. 1—McDougall Kitchen Cabinet, made of fine gum wood, polished; regular price, \$35.00; sale price **\$29.00**

No. 1—Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, glass cupboard doors; regular price, \$23.50; sale price **\$21.00**

4138—1 Elwell Kitchen Cabinet, white ash; regular price, \$25; sale price **\$19.50**

COUCHES

9013—1 Karpin Couch, steel construction, velour tufted top, 30 in. wide; regular price, \$17; sale price **\$11.00**

B 146—1 Red Velour Couch, 30 in. wide, steel construction; regular price, \$16.50; sale price **\$10.50**

30B—1 Chase Leather Couch, steel construction; regular price, \$16.00; sale price **\$10.00**

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German Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets. Rev. E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school

at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning service at 10:45; subject, "Greater Works." Evening service at 7:45; "Praise Service." Monday evening at 8 o'clock Rev. N. F. Clark of Neenah, Wis., will give his illustrated lecture on a trip through Palestine, or the land where Jesus lived. Tickets 10c.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Friday evening, Young People's meeting. Saturday afternoon, industrial school.

Christian Science.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "Soul and Body." Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45 p. m.

Westminster Presbyterian church, Redfield street. Preaching service by Rev. Jones of the First Presbyterian church at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m.

Spiritualist Church.

First Spiritualist church, Linker's hall, corner Fourth and Main. Usual services will be held.

People's Sunday School.

People's Sunday school meets in Traveler's hall, Linker building, corner of Fourth and Main streets, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The usual program of health exercise will be carried out.

Y. W. C. A.

Y. W. C. A., 410 Cass street. Sunday afternoon, 4 o'clock.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. J. E. Ayscue, pastor. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 11:45; Young People's meeting at 6:30. Colton mission Sunday school at 3 o'clock.

Norwegian Lutheran.

Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Division streets. Rev. H. G. Magelsson, pastor. Regular services.

Emanuel Evangelical Association.

Emanuel Church of the Evangelical association, Twelfth and Vine. Rev. Umbreit, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; morning service at 10:30. Young People's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

German Methodist

German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry streets, Rev. J. L. Panzlau, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Carl Schaefer, superintendent. Sermon at 10:30; subject, "Home Mission." Epworth league, 6:45 p. m. Fred Miller, president. Preaching at 7:30 p. m.; theme, "Cast Thy Bread Upon the Water." Instructions in the catechism. German reading and writing every Saturday afternoon. Wednesday night prayer meeting. The German public in general is invited to all our services.

St. Paul's Universalist.

St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass. Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor. Regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon,

"Persecuted but Blessed." Leader of the devotional service at 7 p. m. Walter Schroeder. Subject to be announced.

First Methodist Episcopal Church

King and Eighth streets. Rev. A. Lincoln Shute, pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:30; subject of sermon, "A Busy Man's Habits of Prayer." Sunday school at 12 m. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. Evening preaching at 7:30; subject, "Out for a Good Time." The teacher training class is dismissed till fall. Midweek service, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.; eson, Colossians 3:1-11. Monday and Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock Prof. W. Earl Flynn lectures on health culture, "How to Get Well and Stay Well." Tuesday afternoon he or his lady assistant gives lessons to women only. Every day and night for two weeks.

First Presbyterian

First Presbyterian church, corner Sixth and King streets. D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

First Congregational Church.

First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets; Henry Faville, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30; preaching by the pastor. Topic, "Church Success." Bible school at noon. Organ recital by Prof. Packman at 4:30 p. m., assisted by Mrs. J. S. Lowe and Miss Florence Herman. Vesper service in church parlors at 7:30 p. m. Topic, "Beauty and Song," with address by pastor upon "Vines."

Y. M. C. A.

425 King street; Oliver J. Ash acting secretary. Meeting for young men Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

English Lutheran.

The English Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry street. Rev. J. J. Clemens,

pastor. Sunday after Ascension services as usual. Chief service at 10:45 a. m.; evening service at 7:45 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Special meeting of church council after morning service.

Episcopal Church.

Christ church, Ninth and Main streets (Episcopal), Rev. C. N. Moller, rector; organist, Mr. Urquhart Cawley, B. A. Services for the Sunday after Ascension: 8:00, holy communion; 9:30 Sunday school; 10:45, morning service; Te Deum, Buck in E flat; Jubilate, Marston in D flat; Anthem, "King All Glorious." Barnaby; sermon, Ascensiontide address; 7:30, evening service; service, Marks in D; anthem, "O, Give Thanks." Goss; sermon, "The Church and Socialism." On Sunday evening, May 30th, a musical service will be held. Program next week.

West Avenue Methodist Episcopal

church, West avenue, between Mississippi and Jackson streets. Morning service, 10:30, sermon subject, "The Offended Christ." Sunday school at 11:45; Epworth league at 6:45. Evening service at 7:30; sermon subject, "The Church Militant." Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study. Thursday at 2 o'clock the Ladies' Sewing circle will meet with Mrs. A. Oakes, 1334 Jackson street.

REV. I. W. WILLIAMSON'S LETTER

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., writes: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it." Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run down people. Contains no harmful drugs and is pleasant to take. O. T. Erhart.

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Never have I had the connection between Headache and Eyestrain brought home to me more forcibly than during this week.

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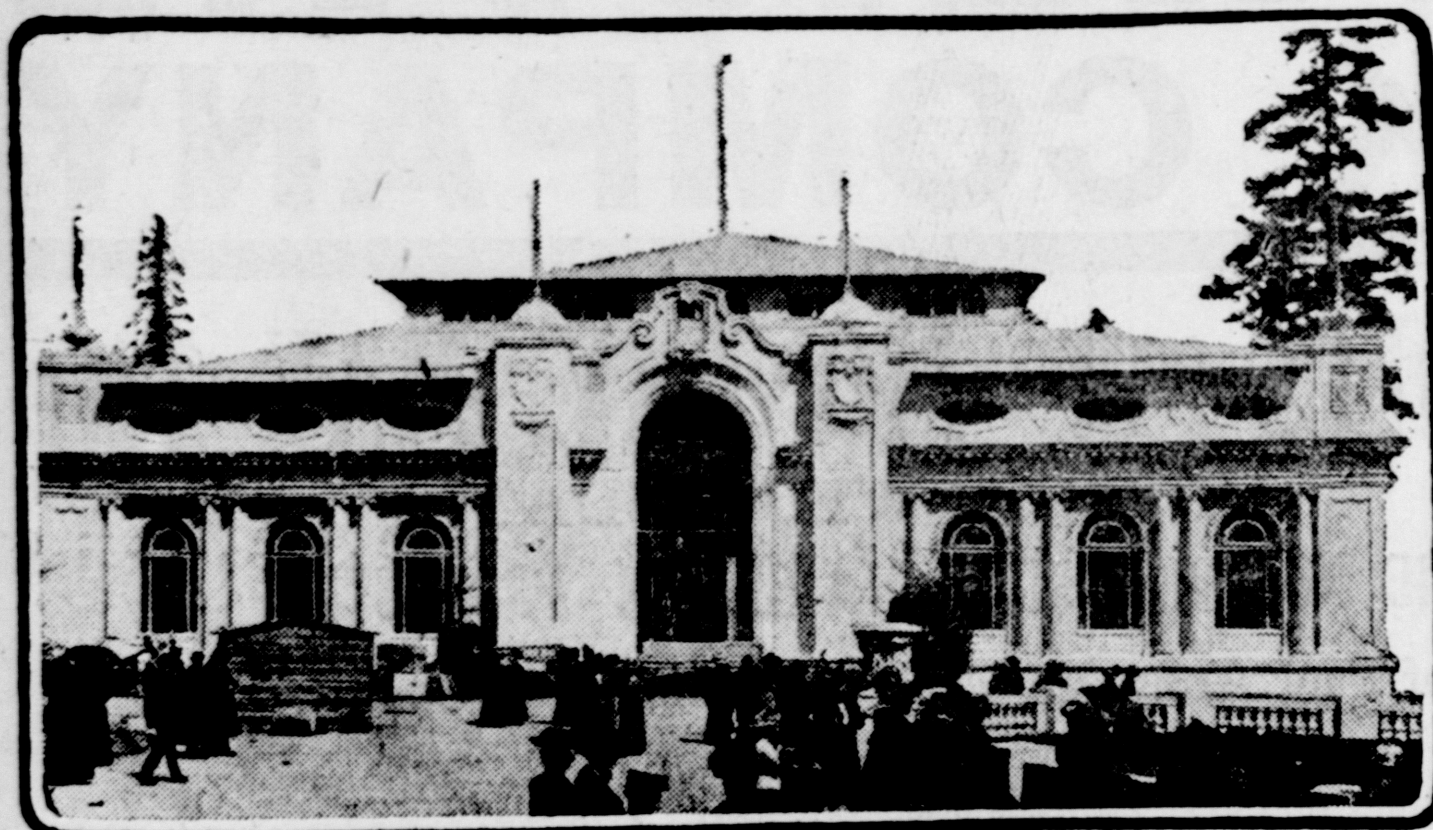
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You will recall having made for me, some months ago, the pair of riding bow spectacles and I am pleased, indeed, in this manner to advise that they are not only satisfactory entirely, but I believe, perfect. Have been fitted before by a number of prominent oculists but believe this pair I obtained from you to be the best all around outfit I have ever had, and I have worn spectacles for the last twenty years. Wishing you continued success, I remain,
C. A. ROBINSON, Manager.

Minneapolis Minn., May 3, '09.

PACIFIC COLONIES AT THE ALASKA-YUKON-PACIFIC SHOW



The big Seattle exposition, which opens June 1, will afford the United States the first real opportunity to become acquainted with its Pacific possessions. Alaska, of course, will be a premier feature of the big show and the Philippine Islands will be a close second. Hawaii is not to be outshone. This picture gives a splendid idea of the building which the government has erected for the exclusive representation of the Hawaiian islands. Complete exhibits from the former domain of Queen Liloukalani will be collected. The Hawaiian building is one of the best on the grounds.

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INDUSTRIAL LA CROSSE

LA CROSSE RUG CO. A GROWING CONCERN

A La Crosse Industry which has grown considerably in the last few years is the La Crosse Rug company situated at 109 Main street. Beginning about eight years ago with but a few workmen, the business of the company has gradually increased until it now employs about 20 hands, most of whom are men. Each workman is a specialist in his line, weaving, trimming, or finishing.

The firm has its agents out in the territory of the northwestern states, advertising their manufactured products and seeking to open up new regions of profit for the company. At the present time the firm has business connections in the states of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan, the Dakotas and northern Illinois. The business is gradually increasing itself, creating a demand for more workmen, a condition which is of some moment to the city of La Crosse, as it will mean added population and thus an increase along the lines which develop a city.

The company is incorporated at \$12,000, and during the last four or five years has more than tripled its manufacturing capacity. This firm makes a specialty of manufacturing rugs out of old carpets. Besides this line of business, carpets and rugs are cleaned, repaired, cut, re-made and laid.

The firm at the present time occupies four stories in the building in which they are located, all the space being utilized. Fourteen hand looms are worked to their utmost capacity daily.

Process Interesting.

The process of manufacturing a rug out of old carpets is a very interesting one. The old carpets are brought into the factory, where they are separated, cleaned and disinfected. An old carpet or rug is first run through a machine which cuts it up into strips which are about half an inch in width. These strips are then taken to another workman who runs them through a second machine which twists them into rope-like forms which are fluffy in appearance. They are now ready for the weaving and are taken to the looms which are run entirely by hand. None of the weaving at the factory is done by machinery, as it is claimed that better results are obtained by the hand process. It is now in the form of a rug in its rough state. The rough product is then cleaned again and clipped, leaving the nap the desired length. It is now smooth as the finished rug. It is then cleaned for the last time and taken to the finisher for the final touches.

It is surprising to witness the result which is obtained in the process. The old, worn carpets which seem to have seen their last days of usefulness are put through the several stages of rug manufacturing and reappear as an entirely new rug. The firm during the past years has exhibited its products at the local inter-state fair, thus making the public of the city acquainted with an industry which at first was little known but now is flourishing under capital, and excellent management. From time to time new territory is opened up in the surrounding states, a condition which tends to make the increase of the industry a certain thing. It is without a doubt a business which, in the next ten years, will grow to pretentious proportions, creating a demand for skilled labor and bringing into the city much business and capital.

The Advance Bedding company is installing a new cotton carding machine at the plant on North Front street. The machine is a complicated arrangement of pins and rollers which takes cotton from the bales and rolls it up at the end of the process as clean and fluffy as snow. It is an interesting spectacle to watch the machines in operation. The Advance Bedding company now has two of these machines.

La Crosse searchlights are carried on the greater part of the vessels that ply the Yukon river in Alaska. T. P. Benton & Son have received an order for the equipments for 18 boats to be operated in the west for the Canadian Pacific Railway company. The business that has been

quiet during the past year is rapidly picking up and the Benton plant is now running full time on orders for searchlights for Van Couver, B. C., Seattle, Wash., Portland, Ore., and 200 light generating sets are being built to be shipped to Fairbanks, Alaska.

Owing to the coming of summer and the sudden arrival of green grass, songbirds, and other signs of approaching hot weather, the B. Trepte Ornamental Iron Works on South Front street has been held back on regular contracts this week, in order to accommodate local buyers of iron lawn settees, flower vases, hitching posts and flower stands. Mr. Trepte said today that orders are coming in daily for these things and the plant is running to its capacity. The Trepte plant recently completed a set of bank fixtures for the Mitchell State bank, of Mitchell, S. D.

The new seed elevator of the Salzer Seed company of this city is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy in a few days. The building has been rushed to completion and is a large addition to the immense plant of the Salzer Seed company. It will be used for storage and sorting purposes.

The common council committee on railways and ordinance will report at the next meeting on the action taken with regard to allowing the Green Bay & Western railway to extend a spur track to the proposed site of the E. Hackner altar works, in the eastern section of the city.

Owing to increasing business and the necessity for enlarging quarters Mr. Hackner has decided to erect a new factory building. A site has been selected on the Green Bay road and the new building will be placed as soon as the spur track is assured.

Residents in the vicinity of the sites have registered objections to the proposed spur track but it is said today on good authority that the petition of Mr. Hackner will be granted. The objection of the railroad company has been overcome.

After having been closed for over a month, the plant of the Kuhn Sash and Door company resumed operations last week as a branch of the Segelke-Kohlhaus company's plant. The plant will be running on full time next week.

The Hawkeye Pearl Button company will come to this city if a suitable site can be found and other conditions are favorable. Secretary John Utermoehl of the La Crosse board of trade is in receipt of a letter from the company which says that the officers of the concern are willing to let the matter rest for a week or more until the matter of sites can be looked up.

The new train service of the Green Bay & Western road by virtue of which La Crosse Manufacturers and jobbers are enabled to ship goods to Blair and other points on this road and have them reach their destination the same day as the shipment is made, is proving very attractive to the shippers. Since the new train was put on business in this section of the state has practically doubled with La Crosse shippers, and the prospects are that the new territory which has been opened will grow to be a natural tributary to La Crosse. Under the new system retailers are also benefitted as a train arrives here in the morning and allows shoppers several hours in the city, returning the same day.

A special order for a new bottler's wagon for the Gateway City Bottling works, a new concern which is just starting in business on Third street, is being filled by the Voigt Manufacturing company this week. The wagon is to be up to date in every detail.

Despite the fact that Mr. O. O. Storle, inventor and manufacturer of the Storle pressure valve, left La Crosse discouraged a week ago, and was ready to abandon hopes of interesting local capital in his project, there is yet a chance that a factory for the manufacture of the valve may be built here.

Mr. L. F. Easton has taken an interest in the valve, and today a sample was shipped by him to F. P.

WIFE OF REPRESENTATIVE BELL OF GEORGIA



MRS. THOMAS W. BELL

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—Southern hospitality is at its best in the home of Congressman T. M. Bell of Georgia. His wife is a fascinating hostess and is a great favorite in congressional circles.

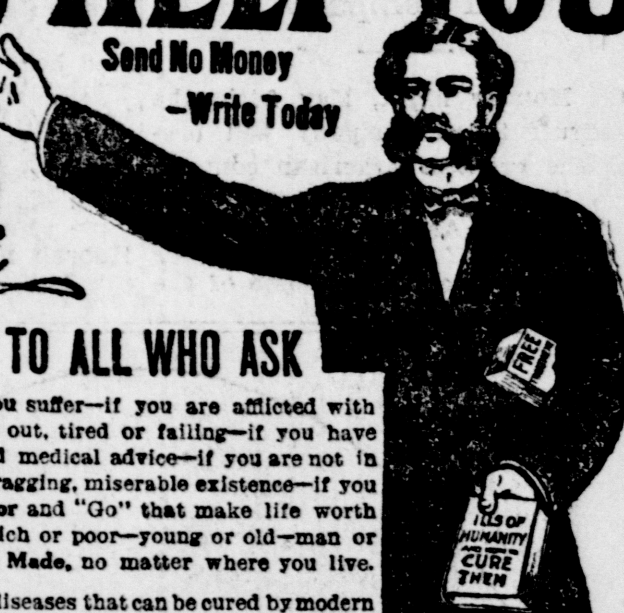
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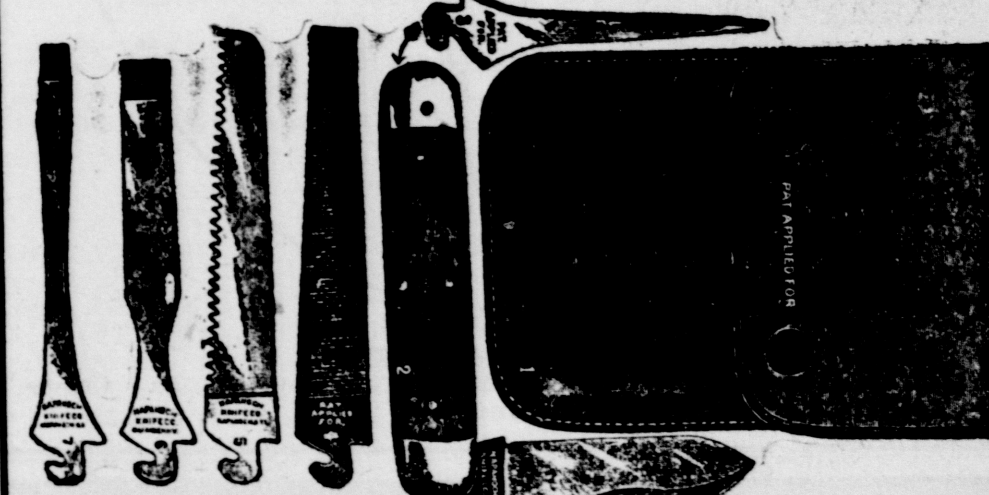
To you—if you are sick—if you suffer—if you are afflicted with any ailment—if you are worn out, tired or failing—if you have an ache or a pain—if you need medical advice—if you are not in perfect health—if life is a dragging, miserable existence—if you lack the energy, the vim—vigor and "Go" that make life worth living. To you, if you are rich or poor—young or old—man or woman—To You This Offer is Made, no matter where you live.

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The new Graf Hat Manufacturing company on North Third street has just completed the installation of new hydraulic machinery used in the manufacture of felt hats. Among the machines which have just been installed are a hydraulic stiff hat press, a pressure reformat and hydraulic pump. The factory is running full time with orders ahead.

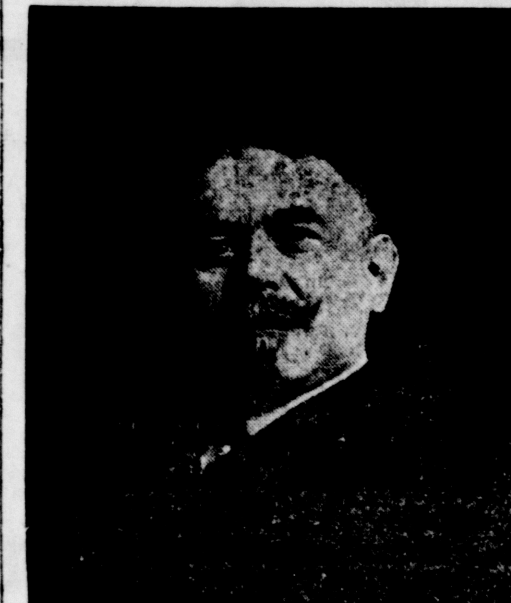
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LADIES If you are suffering from persistent Headache, Pains in Back and feel as if it were impossible for you to endure your troubles and still be obliged to attend to your household and social obligations, give the Doctor a call. He will cure you if you trust yourself to his care. A great many have taken treatment of this Specialist, and he can refer you to those who have been cured by him.

FAMOUS PLAY IS HERE ON MONDAY

'Heir to the Hoorah,' Western Success, Will Be Presented by the Woodruff Company

On Monday night, May 24th, the Woodruff Stock company will present the greatest American comedy, "The Heir to the Hoorah," in four acts by Paul Armstrong. The "Heir to the Hoorah" is neither farce nor melodrama, it combines some of the

qualities of each. It is a western play and the hero is Joe Lacy, a miner and typical rough diamond, one of the trio of chums who have seen hard days in the west in their quest for gold and who have finally been enriched by the Hoorah mine. Joe comes east, marries a society girl with a mamma, takes them both back west in a private car, and realizes, after a little, that the comic newspapers are not so very wrong in the description of the much berated mother-in-law. Joe had done a handsome thing by the girl when he married her, and by Mrs. Joe being well established in this world's goods in her marriage settlements, the mother-in-law takes Joe in hand and sets about nagging him to a separation from his wife. After Joe and his wife have separated, and the heir to the Hoorah mine is born and through the baby, eventually of course this

couple are brought together again. There is a quaint trio of typical western miners and cowboys which adds to the humor of the story. Desire to present the heir with a suitable birthgift the members of the trio ask advice as to the proper things, and when told that a mug or spoon would be a convenient gift, express themselves with much disdain. What, a mug or a spoon for Joe's kid, demands Bill Ferguson. Hell, give him a mine. The proud uncle of the heir to the Hoorah never fails to arouse the risibilities of the married people in the audience by telegraphing an order for six thoroughbred cows, one for each day in the week, except Sunday, when he gathers that the heir apparent is likely to be a bottle baby.

The Woodruff Stock Company will be the first attraction that has ever played this piece here at popular prices, and this clever company have proven that they can present high class plays with all the scenic effects at popular prices. This company is a high class attraction only playing at popular prices during the summer.

SOCIETY CALL IN ONLY NIGHT SHIRT

JACKSON, Ala., May 22.—A man attired in a nightgown attempted to enter the room of Sarah H. Elliott, a society leader, last night.

This morning a coat, trousers and hat were found outside the window through which the intruder attempted to gain entrance and were identified as belonging to Bryant Burroughs, son of Dr. J. H. Burroughs. The young man is missing.

About 3 o'clock Miss Elliott was awakened. She screamed and her mother rushed in from an adjoining room, revolver in hand. She saw a man at the window and fired three times. Blood stains were found on the porch at daylight.

The mayor of Jackson is making a personal investigation of the case and young Burroughs' father has joined in the search for his son.

ROWLES DR. THOMAS' ADMINISTRATOR

Upon petition of W. W. Cargill, Dr. J. A. Rowles has been appointed special administrator in the estate of the late Rev. W. D. Thomas, D. D.

The court will appoint a regular administrator in a few weeks when the value of the state can be appraised. As far as can be learned, although the late Rev. Thomas at one time carried life insurance to a combined valuation of over \$40,000, there was but one policy of \$2,000 in force at the time of his death.

Occasionally a man gets angry and tries to raise the roof, and is only prevented by the mortgage that holds it down.



GENIAL TED WOODRUFF
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SWEET CLOVER IS A PLEASING BILL

The Woodruff Stock company resumed their engagement last night at the La Crosse theatre. The play presented was Sweet Clover, and the company and play met with great success. Sweet Clover is a story of the New England people, of pathos, there is sufficient to dim the eye with a tear, but a flash of Yankee wit follows so quickly that the tears change to a hearty laugh. Mr. Woodruff and Miss Duckert made more friends by their clever work, in fact the whole company were very clever. This play will be repeated tonight and Sunday matinee and night.

POSTPONE INSPECTION

In order to allow more time in which to properly advertise the meeting, the date of the meeting of the La Crosse county board at Bangor, for the purpose of going over the Bangor-Bostwick Valley road, has been postponed from June 7 to June 15.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one graded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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RUSSIAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA COMING

Great Company of Musicians Will Be Important Booking at Theatre for Next Month

One of the promising bookings for June is a visit of the Russian Symphony orchestra of New York, Modest Atschuler, conductor, and the Ben Greet players, under the personal direction of Ben Greet, in a musical and dramatic presentation of Shakespeare's "Mid-summer Night's Dream," with Mendelssohn's music.

These two companies of talented players are making a joint tour, giving the complete stage performance of this favorite Shakespearean comedy with Mendelssohn's musical accompaniment, rendered by a complete symphony orchestra. This is the first time in the history of music or the drama that a symphony orchestra and a dramatic company have toured together.

The Russian Symphony orchestra, which is to make its first transcontinental tour in this connection, is one of the most noted musical organizations in New York City. For six years it has been a success in the east, enjoying the confidence of the higher musical circles of the larger eastern cities. One hundred persons are concerned in the representation. The orchestra numbers fifty men, in addition to the complete Ben Greet company, enlarged especially for this tour. There is a group of children for the fairy dances; solo dances, exponents of the Greek dances, presenting to the accompaniment of the Spring Song a dance which is interpolated, and one for the Nocturne.

The great fairy play shows its beauty to the best advantage when given with a superb musical setting, in harmony with the fantastic imagery of the story. The comedy will not be given in the Elizabethan manner, but Mr. Greet's aim is to reproduce the effect of his famous open-air performances of "A Mid-summer Night's Dream" as given for the past twenty years at the leading universities of England and America, and at the most famous ancestral estates of England.

MURDERER IS MUTE.

DETROIT Mich., May 22. — Arraigned for hearing on the charge of murdering his nephew, Hartoon Gastanian, in the recorder's court before Judge Phelan today, Dr. G. K. Royajian stood mute, and his attorney asked for immediate trial. It will probably be called about June 8.



Scene from the "Heir to the Hoorah."

A TWO-EDGED STAND.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 22. — James S. Brailly, Jr., the leading independent telephone man of middle west, declares that Judge Tayler's decision, in which it was held that the

exclusive contracts for long distance service are against public policy, is a sword that cuts both ways, and that it will let the independents into New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and Washington.



Scene From "Sweet Clover."

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DEFAULTING TELLER GETS FIVE YEARS

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 22.—Ellis W. Niles, defaulting bank receiving teller of Minneapolis, was sentenced to spend five years in the state prison at Stillwater by Judge H. D. Dickinson, in the Hennepin county district court.

Niles made no comment when sentence was passed and took the announcement of his punishment calmly.

PICKLE PEDDLER TAKES OWN LIFE

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 22.—Weary of a life that held nothing but suffering and poverty and tortured by the knowledge that he was slowly, hour by hour, losing his voice and going blind, S. A. Tetmajera, weak and feeble at the age of 75, a peddler of pickles and horse-radish, last night, in his dirty little shanty at 318 South Waba-

sha street, took his rusty rifle of two Russian wars from the hook upon the wall, laid it on a table and, sitting down before the muzzle, in his old arm chair, pulled the trigger.

He was found sitting in the chair at 10 o'clock in the morning by Lieut. Sexton of the Ducas police station dead, a bullet through his heart.

STRIKERS WRECK MINE.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 22.—A coal mine at Canmore, Alberta, was

wrecked in a mysterious manner, a watchman on guard being dangerously injured. This mine had been idle some weeks owing to a strike.

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WISCONSIN NEWS

WEBER CASE IS BAFFLING TO POLICE

Coroner's Jury at Shawano Still Investigating Death of Beautiful Mrs. Weber

SHAWANO, Wis., May 22.—The inquest over the body of Mrs. Richard Weber, whose death in the town of Belle Plaine still is wrapped in mystery, was adjourned Thursday night to await the arrival of the mother of the dead woman, who, it is said, had not been notified of the death by the husband.

Weber had told several stories, according to the members of the jury, but little of the evidence has been given out. It is said that his latest story is that his wife hanged herself, and that she had threatened to commit suicide several times. It is also said that the jury requested the arrest of Weber, but that District Attorney Larson refused a warrant upon the ground that the evidence was insufficient.

Mrs. Weber was buried this morning and the husband is still at the farm, apparently unconcerned about the case. Mrs. Weber was 19. The couple was married in Shawano, but the past few months had lived at the home of Weber's parents, where the woman died.

DRUNKEN HUSBAND BETTER THAN LIAR

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 22.—Anton Stech isn't happily married. "I wouldn't live with that man for \$1,000,000," Mrs. Elizabeth Stech said, when Stech was arraigned. "I'd rather live with a dog than him. He's the best liar in Milwaukee." Mrs. Stech also expressed regret that she didn't remain with her first husband, even though he was a drunkard. She charged him with abandonment.

Many weak, nervous women have been restored to health by Foley's Kidney Remedy as it stimulates the kidneys so they will eliminate the waste matter from the blood. Impurities depress the nerves, causing nervous exhaustion and other ailments. Commence today and you will soon be well. Pleasant to take. O. T. Erhart.

CHANTING LUNATIC WILL BE EXAMINED

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 22.—Chanting the twenty-third psalm and exhorting his hearers to believe those things which he spoke, Jackson Miller, dressed in country garb and bearing a strange resemblance to the Savior, was arrested at Grand avenue and Third street Thursday night.

Taken to the central police station, he maintained his exhortations. Arraigned in district court Friday morning he addressed fellow prisoners.

When he was brought before Judge Neelen it was decided that he was mentally deranged. A commission will be appointed to examine into his mental condition. In the meantime he will be held in the county jail. Miller presented an odd appearance when he came into court. His hair and beard of a fiery red covered shoulders and breast. He wore blue overalls and a rough hickory shirt. As he walked through the courtroom, accompanied by the officers, he started his chant.

MENOMINEE BOATS ENTER MISSISSIPPI

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., May 22.—The steamers Rapids and Grand went into the Mississippi river out of the Wisconsin at noon Friday. The boats are 165 feet long, 38 feet wide.

They experienced considerable difficulty coming down the Wisconsin river. They are the biggest boats that have come down the last twenty years. Every bridge has a draw except the Burlington bridge at Prairie du Chien, at the mouth of the Wisconsin river. Here Supt. Minor of the Burlington system had two hydraulic derricks, lift the span, 53 feet in length, weighing 100 tons, 51 feet and six inches in the air.

The boats are owned by W. E. Ingham of Little Rock, Ark.

UNKNOWN STRANGER KILLED BY TRAIN

MILWAUKEE, May 22.—With the trunk cut in twain at the waist the mangled body of an unknown man was found in the Milwaukee railroad tracks at the foot of Maple street last night. The upper half of the man's body was lying between the tracks and the lower part was on the other side. The man is thought to have been killed about 10 o'clock by a south-bound freight train.

The body is that of a man about 42 years of age. The only object found in the pockets was a glass cutter. The body was clothed in a black coat, a gray striped vest and pair of trousers, a black hat and shirt, and appears to be that of a laborer.

There is usually something wrong with the man who changes his business two or three times a year.

MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

NEAR RACE RIOT IN SAINTLY CITY

Society People Attack Home of Negro Family; Bricks Are Hurlled Through Windows

POLICE GUARD THE NEGRESS

Crocus Hill Residents Hold Indignation Meeting and Blacks Ordered Out of Neighborhood

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 22.—Fortified behind the brick walls of a duplex house at 888 Lincoln avenue in the very heart of the fashionable Crocus Hill residence district, an invalid negro woman and her trained nurse are armed to the teeth, determined that they will not be driven from the home, while the white people living in the neighborhood are frantically holding indignation meetings, incidentally hurling an occasional brick through the windows of the negro woman's room, and the police are doubling the number of the patrolmen in that portion of the city.

Mounted Officers Quell Trouble Wednesday night the whisp of a race riot occurred when a small mob attacked the negro dwelling, threw bricks through the windows and hooted and hissed the inhabitants. Three mounted officers were hurried to the scene to quell the disturbance. Several times during the night a crowd attempted to break into the dwelling and perched upon the porch, shouting for the negro to "get out."

At an indignation meeting of the Crocus Hill Improvement association, held last night, the word "lynching" was passed, though not in any seriousness.

The trouble began when Dr. H. J. Bell, dentist, rented the property to Mrs. Jackson, the colored woman, whose husband is a commercial traveler.

Mrs. Jackson today said to a reporter that she intended to stay there and that she was armed. She spoke of her neighbors as "white trash." They are among the wealthy people of St. Paul.

A. W. Lyles, another negro family with five pickaninnies, live in the same house with Mrs. Jackson. "We'll get out if the people here pay our expenses," the woman said today. "They're the lowest grade of rich people on earth, those who throw rocks through people's windows."

Blacks—Mrs. Buggins is always complaining that she has so little to wear. "Blacks—Well, I saw her at a ball last night and she seemed to be wearing it."

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